





# Thursday Is Housefurnishing Day at Hamburger's

## "What Others Advertise We Sell for Less"

An expression you have seen time and time again in our advertising and have heard as many more yet it is not idle talk for there is no firm in Los Angeles that advertises any similar line of goods we carry that we do not sell the same goods for less. It is one of the fundamental principles of our business so why should you waste time in going to other stores when you know that the same goods will not cost you as much at Hamburger's? We ask only a reasonable amount of profit on every line of goods and we can certainly afford to undersell all competition for having a resident buyer in Paris, Yokohama, New York as well as correspondents in Berlin, Belfast and London, we keep in touch with the entire manufacturing world and saving middlemen's profits, can give our patrons the benefit of that saving and yet make a comfortable living. Time and time again we sell meritorious merchandise at less than other stores pay at wholesale.

## Optical Department

We have an experienced optician in charge who will make a free examination of your eyes, and fit you with proper glasses at a moderate cost.



## Facial Massage

You can preserve or regain your facial beauty through massaging. Our department is now under a new management. Treatments singly or by ticket.

## Two Matting Specials

Anticipate wants for not only your city but for summer beach cottages as such values are exceptional.

### 12c China Matting per yard

This is a lot of 2000 yards of fresh clean China Matting in new block designs; serviceable for not only bedrooms but cottages and a usual 12-3c grade featured as a Thursday leader per yard.

### 30c Japanese Matting per yard, 19c

A fine Japanese linen warp matting—closely woven; is in large carpet designs; colorings red, blue, green, also geometric patterns and white grounds with blue stripes effects. The largest stock in the city. Values up to 30c specially priced at per yard.

## Special Hour Sales for Today Only

ON SALE 8 TO 12 A. M. NO MAIL OR PHONE ORDERS FILLED

Two Items That Must and Will Command Attention for the Prices are Below Actual Cost

Women's \$1 and \$1.50 Hose per pair. **59c**

An assortment of 80 dozen brilliant Lisle hose

in all over lace patterns, all over lace ankles in a variety of patterns, all over lace and colors, hand embroidered ankle hose in both lace and plain Lisle, fancy colored hose including the new style hose with hand crocheted clocks—all of them made double sole, heel and toe and actually worth \$1.00 and \$1.50. For 4 hours' rapid selling Thursday per pair 59c.

\$1 Shirt Waist Suit Silks per yard **50c**

5000 yards at one-half their regular value. They

are in the new street colors of red, brown, green, navy, gray and black grounds in shepherd check, hairline check, corded stripe, dash effects, woven dots and figures, broken corded checks and overshot effects. They are Taffetas and soft Louisiana weaves for separate waists or shirt waist suits; are 20 inches wide; good values at \$1. On sale for 4 hours Thursday morning only, at per yard 50c.

## Women's Shoes for Less

Popular Offerings for Thursday Buyers

Grover's \$3.00 Soft Shoes at

**\$1.95**

The well-known Grover make of Women's soft shoes, Juliet style, with hand-turned soles, silk faced goring and kid or patent tips; especially desirable for tender feet, and one of the most comfortable shoes made; regular \$3.00 value; sample sizes only. Specially priced for the one day, Thursday, at per pair \$1.95.

Women's \$5.00 Dress Shoes—these

are in the newest dress shape, lace style, and are made of the finest patent kid, with turned soles, Louis XV heels, and dull mat kid tops; also Foster's \$5.00 patent kid shoes, comfortable dressy shapes, with turned soles, low military heels and dull mat kid tops; all sizes in the first line, and nearly all sizes in the Foster line. Strictly high class and very desirable. On sale Thursday, at per pair **\$3.55**

Women's Fine Shoes Worth to

\$3.50—these are in Viet kid, patent leather and box calf; some have hand turned, others welted soles; as these comprise the cleanup of odd lots and sample lines, the range of sizes and widths is not fully complete; but there are those from 2 to 8; values up to \$3.50 and rare value for those whose size is here. On sale Thursday, at per pair, choice **\$1.45**

## Wanted Household Linens

No Housewife Ever Has an Oversupply

25c Peppercorn Sheet per yard

**20c**

For Thursday. One thousand yards of an unbleached Peppercorn Sheet 21 yards wide; a quality that washes easily; will soon bleach out and always sets at 25c will be specially priced per yard 20c.

Ready-made Sheets—2 yards wide;

have finished seams through center; are well made; of good quality. Specially priced at per yard **44c**

Ready-made Pillow Cases—linen

finished; are 42x36 inch size with wide hem. For Thursday we offer one thousand dozens at choice **10c**

## Trade Sale of Rugs and Carpets

Greatest Values in Floor Coverings Ever Offered

Anticipate Your Wants and Buy Now



This is the second week of the great Trade Sale of Carpets and Rugs that were purchased from the Peremptory Sale of Alexander Smith & Sons in New York City and our sale prices are but little more than the usual wholesale prices of this class of goods. If you have a want along these lines, you possibly may never have a better opportunity to purchase.

9x12 ft. \$40.00 Wilton Rugs at **\$27.50**  
They are the finest rugs made; will give unlimited wear; in fact are more serviceable than any two ordinary rugs. They are good values at \$40.00 but to clean up the line are priced for a House Furnishing Day leader at \$27.50.

Tapestry Brussels Rugs—9x12 ft. are of heavy quality;

choice colorings and patterns and actually worth

\$18.00. Trade Sale **\$15.95**

Alexander Rugs—10x13 1/2 ft. are Smith & Son's finest

make. They have no mitered corners and there is no mismatching. A large assortment of patterns

and colorings. Good values at \$40.00 but priced for the Trade Sale at **\$30.00**

Alexander Rugs—7 1/2 x 10 1/4 ft. Smith & Son's make;

are choice for bedrooms, reception halls and dining-rooms and are good values at \$18.00, but priced

less than cheap Tapestry for they are offered for the Trade Sale at **\$10.00**

Tapestry Brussels Carpet—choice of the new designs

and colorings; are in room, hall and stair patterns;

fine line to select from. Sold by others at 90c. Our Trade Sale leader at **69c**

THIRD FLOOR.

10-wire Tapestry Brussels Carpet—very newest colorings

and patterns for rooms with or without borders;

also hall and stair designs; a choice assortment to

select from. Sold by others at \$1.20. Our Trade Sale price, per yard **90c**

Wool Velvet Carpets—choice colors and patterns; some

of them Turkish patterns, others flowers with or

without borders; also an assortment for halls and

stairs. Sold by others at \$1.25. Our Trade Sale price, per yard **\$1.00**

Wilton Velvet Carpet—very fine quality; will outwear

any two ordinary carpets; has long plush pile;

good variety of colorings and patterns; worth regularly

\$1.65. Trade Sale price, per yard **\$1.25**

Wool Mixed Art Squares—choice patterns and colorings;

give the same effect as all wool and are especially

low priced as the following will attest: \$6.00, 9x12 ft. art square at \$4.89.

\$5.50, 9x10 1/2 ft. art square at \$4.29.

\$4.75, 9x9 ft. art square at \$3.69.

\$4.00, 7 1/2 x 9 1/4 ft. art square at \$3.05.

\$3.25, 6x9 ft. art square at \$2.48.

## Rare Values Men's Wear

None Elsewhere Such as These

**\$1.69**

For Men's Fancy Vests Worth up to \$5.00

A manufacturer's line of Spring samples, comprising about 250 fancy vests, including such fabrics as gun metal mercerized, black and white effects in basket weaves, mercerized and pongee mercerized; also fancy black effects with dots and figures; some French flannels also in the lot; both single and double breasted styles, and sizes 34 to 44; values up to \$5.00. On sale Thursday, at choice, \$1.69.

Men's 50c Spring Neckwear at 29c

A line of 50 dozen new Spring

four-in-hands in the popular 2

and 2 1/2-inch widths, in effective

colorings, both light and dark;

the same neckwear that you will

find priced anywhere else in

town at 50c. On sale Thursday,

popularly priced at **29c**

New \$1.00 Golf Shirts at 50c

A line of late spring novelties in

shirts, of madras, with

collars to match; some

quality, and guaranteed for

as a leader at **50c**

## Special Values in Couches

Always Serviceable Where an Extra Bed is Needed

\$4.00 Covered Box Couches at

**\$2.95**

A strong box couch with spring seat; soft top;

covered with fancy ticking; has turned legs. To

be used either as a bed or couch; is worth \$4.00. A leader at

per yard **\$2.95**

Wardrobe Couch—full large size;

has lifting top with large receptacle

for bed clothes and wearing

apparel and is serviceable for

either bed or couch for any

room and a special **\$5.95**

Velour Couch—full large size;

spring seat and headboard

made soft top; some have

ble head; all of them

fringed to match and

turned legs and casters. Values

at \$7.50. Specially priced at **\$5.95**

## \$17.50 Dinner Sets \$10.00



These sets are

made up from

open stock pat-

terns, slightly

mismatched,

but in no way

making them undesirable; are prettily decorated

in wild rose buds, daisy and royal blue

effects, with fine gold tracing; regular values

are from \$15.00 to \$17.50. You will agree with

us that they are

exceptional

value at, **\$10.00**

## 60c Bleached Table Damask 45c

A very serviceable Damask for ordinary home uses or

for hotels and restaurants; is a mercerized weave,

58 inches wide; will launder nicely and is worth

60c. A special leader for House

Furnishing Day at per **45c**

## \$7.50 Waists at \$1.00

On Sale 8 to 12 A.M. Thursday Only.

A lot of just 35 handsome waists of heavy vesting or

Brilliantine; are in odd sizes; either

light or dark colors and are actual

\$7.50 values for 4 hour's rapid selling

at choice **\$1.00**

SECOND FLOOR.

## Embroideries to \$1.48 at 69c

For Thursday an offering of embroideries and insertions in

Swiss, Cambric and Nainsook; some matched sets, others

separate; are in fruit and scroll patterns; Irish Point and

Teneriffe effects; also embossed dots and

figures and the popular English eyelet patterns.

Widths 5 to 20 inches and values to \$1.48.

On bargain table Thursday at per yard **69c**

## \$20 and \$15 Fur Capes at \$5.00

On Sale 8 to 12 A.M. Thursday Only

Too good a chance to miss. A small lot of electric seal or

astrakhan fur capes; 12 to 14 inches

long; satin lined and actual \$15.00 and

\$20.00 values for 4 hour's rapid selling

Thursday **\$5.00**

SECOND FLOOR.

## Six-piece Toilet Set \$2.95

Six-piece toilet set,

consisting of wash

bowl, pitcher,

chamber, soap

dish and mug;

richly decorated in

blue, green, yellow,

or pink tints

with fine gold tracing;

new shapes.

Decidedly good

value, at per set,

complete **\$2.95**

## New Weaves in Wash Goods

Dainty Fabrics for Spring and Summer Dresses

The new lines are beginning to appear and as they are received are placed before our public. The show windows and the counters just now are filled with many of the very newest weaves and they are in enough variety of colorings and patterns to please every taste. Some of the very best lines are noted in the following.

### 28-inch Mercerized Poplins at per Yard

**25c**

A very cool sheer summer fabric; Rep weave resembling

silk both in finish and coloring. The shades

are reseda, shell pink, navy, cardinal and black; 28 inches

wide and reasonably priced at per yard 25c.

Printed Novelty Swisses—sheer dotted Swisses in

two and three-tone printed designs, large floral

and leaf effects in a variety of choice colorings;

is 27 inches wide and priced at **35c**

Dotted Silk Mousseline—a sheer fabric with over-

shot woven dots; a material that will be very

fashionable for matinee and evening wear; will

make up nicely; is 27 inches wide

and priced at, per yard **33c**

English Novelty Crepe—a strictly new weave this

season; white grounds with woven patterns in

dots and broken checks and will be one of the

most admired of all summer weaves. **40c**

Price, per yard.

Lace Striped Madras—a handsome material

especially desirable for shirt waist suits; has lace

stripes interwoven with colored stripes of self

material; is 20 inches wide and

reasonably priced at per yard **19c**

## \$1.50 Fiction at 58c

Popular works published at \$1.50, and regularly

undersold by us at \$1.18. Now offered as a

special leader for Thursday. List of titles as

follows:

Lady Rose's Daughter..... Ward

Brewster's Millions..... Grayson

The Master Christian..... Corelli

The Loom of Life..... Goss

The Tenth Commandment..... Glenworth

The Gentleman From Jay..... Loult

A Dash for a Throne..... Marchmont

A House Party..... Bangs

Donovan Pasha..... Parker

The Mettle of the Past..... Allen

Sentimental Tommy..... Barrie

Truth..... Zola

Dorothy Vernon..... Major

Buel Hampton..... Emerson

When Knighthood was in Flower..... Casford

Fortunes of Oliver Horn..... Smith

Cardigan..... Chambers

Franciska..... Seawell

The Vultures..... Merriman

The Life Within..... Bonnes

Hard-pan..... Bangs

Ghosts I Have Met..... Bangs

And some other popular titles.

Household Necessities







**PLANNING ANOTHER BREAK.**  
NEW DANCER AT FOLSOM.  
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)  
SACRAMENTO, Feb. 15.—The officials in the guard line of Folsom prison state that they have received assurances that the disaffected and dangerous element among the prisoners are endeavoring to foment a riot for another break. This time, the prisoners hope to break the line by their own efforts, and will try to get hold of a quantity of dynamite and other explosives, and, they succeed, they will give battle to the guard line.  
They declare it will be no knives in their when they again break.

**TERMS OF BANK MERGER.**  
WELLS, FARGO-NEVADA.  
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—The Nevada National Bank has announced the terms of the merger of that institution with the Wells, Fargo & Co. bank, as the proposed amalgamated bank to be known as the Wells, Fargo & Co. Nevada National Bank of San Francisco.

The capital of the Nevada National Bank is to be increased from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000, in \$50,000 shares, thus leaving 20,000 shares of stock to be disposed of. The 20,000 shares of the Nevada National Bank are to be disposed of to Wells, Fargo & Co. in exchange for \$3,000,000 in cash or its equivalent, and the transfer by the Wells, Fargo & Co. Bank of its good trade, name and banking business in Nevada and the State of California to the Nevada National Bank.

The 20,000 shares are to be disposed of not less than one share. From the proceeds of these transactions, the capital of the bank is to be increased to \$5,000,000.

It is making a surplus of \$2,000,000 and is making a working capital of \$3,000,000.

It is proposed to increase the number of directors from eleven to thirty.



## STATE TO GET BATTLE FLAGS.

Future Ceremony at Sacramento Next Week.

"Tulsa" to be Established With the Orient.

Banner of Another Break at Tolson State Prison.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The long-drawn-out battle of the flags of the First California Regiment.

The morning of Washington's birth, the colors will be escorted to Sacramento by a picked company of the regiment, in full uniform and under arms.

Reaching there, the escort, headed by Col. George Filmer, will march to the State House, where Gov. Fitch and other State officials will receive the battle-torn flags and install them in the rotunda of the Capitol.

It is the intention to secure also the colors of the old California regiments, such as the Seventh and Eighth, which were in the Spanish-American war.

In future, all regiments as they are organized will be required to deposit their colors in the Capitol rotunda.

**HAWAIIAN LEGISLATURE.**  
ORGANIZATION AT HONOLULU.

HONOLULU, Feb. 16.—The Territorial Legislature convened today and elected organization. D. P. R. Isenberg of Oahu was unanimously elected speaker of the House.

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**WISCONSIN CALOUSNESS.**  
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 16.—In the Weber case today the expert called by defense, Edward J. Carr, testified that the defendant was not guilty of the murder of a woman.

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**WIRELESS WITH ORIENT.**  
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—A representative of a wireless telegraph company today announced that the company is planning to establish a station at the mouth of the Sacramento river.

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BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.

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teen. It is understood that Iwan W. Hellman, president of the Nevada National Bank, will be president of the new bank and that F. L. Lipman, now president of the Wells Fargo & Co. Bank, will be cashier.

**MAY INVALIDATE DIVORCES.**  
NEW FINAL DECREE DECISION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—The Supreme court has handed down a decision which, it is asserted, will invalidate many final decrees of divorce.

It is declared that no valid final decree can be entered until the interlocutory decree has actually been in existence a year.

Many lawyers have not prepared and had the judges sign the interlocutory decree immediately after the granting of such a decree, and there are instances where no action was taken by the attorney until the time came for entering the final decree.

Both interlocutory and final decrees have been entered in some cases, which means that though the document may be signed and filed today, it is dated back and given the same effect as though signed and filed on the date of the final decree.

**COL KEYES KILLED.**  
PIONEER OF THE COMSTOCK.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Col. W. P. Keyes, the pioneer mining man of the Comstock, was found dead at the bottom of the dump of the Mammoth mine, near Virginia City, this morning.

He had been at work in the mine and was riding an ore car when he fell over the precipice to his death.

Keyes died comparatively a poor man, though at one time he had a fortune of \$75,000 for his interest in one mine near Virginia City.

**SLOPE BRIEFS.**  
State Examiners Reject Allowances.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—The State Board of Examiners rejected from the January bills of the State Board of Harbor Commissioners allowances of \$100 to Assemblyman Strohl, as collector, and \$250 to Senator Welch, as chief wharfinger.

The commissioners were today advised by Charles J. Curry, Secretary of State and a member of the Board of Examiners, that Attorney-General Welch had ruled that the rejection of the demands was without warrant of law.

The Secretary of the Harbor Commission was therefore directed to place the January demands of Strohl and Welch on the February roll.

**Three Young Robbers.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—The saloon and grocery store of Theodore Schmitt was robbed tonight by three young men, one of whom was later captured by the police.

He was booked on a robbery charge under the name Tom Walker, alias Williams. The trio entered the store, and while one turned out the lights the other two pointed revolvers at the proprietor.

He made a move to resist and was severely beaten on the head with the butt of a revolver by one of the robbers. But \$5.00 and a nickel watch were secured.

**DEATH OF MARSH.**  
Medico-Legal Society's Answers to Questions Propounded by Lawyer Patrick.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—A committee selected by the Medico-Legal Society to investigate the cause of death of William Marsh Rice, the aged millionaire who died in 1900 and for whose murder Attorney Albert T. Patrick has been awaiting execution thirty-five months, has made its report.

The committee's report is a list of hypothetical questions, and answers, in substance, that Valet Chas. Jones made a statement when he testified to having committed the crime to Rice. The assertion is made that such an amount of the chloroform as was said to have been used would have left an odor which could have been detected hours afterward.

In reply to a question as to whether embalming fluid would produce a congestion of the lungs resembling that caused by chloroform, the committee claims it could not, but that a condition of the lungs resembling that might follow that it could be distinguished only by bacteriological examination.

Patrick's appeal will probably come up in court at the March term.

**BRYAN HAS A PLAN.**  
He Wants to Reconcile the President and the Senate in Regard to Arbitration Treaties.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) In articles which he has prepared for next week's Commonwealth, W. J. Bryan suggests a plan whereby the President and Senate can be reconciled on arbitration treaties.

Bryan insists that the Senate's action is not a step backward, and the friends of arbitration need not be discouraged. The keynote of this plan is investigation first and arbitration afterward.

Bryan suggests that the President be authorized to enter into an agreement to submit any and every international dispute to the Hague court for investigation. When the court reports upon the facts and presents the real issue between the parties, then the parties can decide intelligently whether to accept or reject the plan.

**CHILDREN BURN TO DEATH.**  
FLORIDA, (Ill.) Feb. 16.—Fire of a mysterious origin in the home of Manning Harris, a coal miner, at Edwards, burned three small children early today.

Harris and his wife were horrified. When the neighbors attempted to alarm the family they found the doors and windows locked. The mother was rescued, but two children, lying by her side were left to their fate. Harris was rescued from his bed in an adjoining room.

**The Red Keystone is the Sign.**  
Which Identified the new passenger and ticket office of the Pennsylvania Short Line to the East, via Pittsburgh.

The new building, at 115 West Fourth street, Los Angeles, and Frank Widney is the agent. Write to or call upon him.—Adv.

**If Intending to Go East.**  
Please call upon or address FRANK WIDNEY, Agent of the Pennsylvania Short Line to the East, via Pittsburgh, at 115 West Fourth street, Los Angeles, and learn of facilities offered. Both phones, 854. "A pleasure to answer questions."

## DICKENS FOR THE YOUNG.

The Juvenile Department of The Times next Sunday will contain the first of a series of stories from Charles Dickens, condensed and adapted to the tastes and comprehension of children, by Miss Hallie Ermine Rives, the well-known author of "Hearts Courageous" and other popular novels. Miss Rives has had marked success in putting these stories in a form that will make them interesting to the young and thus cultivate in the children a taste for the great novelist's works.

## PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The long-drawn-out cold wave was broken today, when the temperature advanced to a maximum of 22 degs. The minimum was 1 deg. below zero, recorded early in the day. The last fifteen days established a record for the longest consecutive cold spell Chicago has ever had.

The average temperature was 7 degs. above zero, three degrees lower than was recorded during the winter of 1875. The temperature deficiency since January 1, is 467 degs. Middle West temperatures, the dash indicating temperature below zero:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	22	-12
Bismarck	24	-18
Calro	28	-12
Cheyenne	36	-26
Cincinnati	30	-20
Cleveland	26	-4
Concordia	34	-22
Davenport	30	-26
Des Moines	30	-26
Detroit	20	-8
Devil's Lake	24	-14
Dodge City	32	-24
Dubuque	28	-20
Duluth	32	-20
Edmonton	30	-10
Escanaba	34	-6
Grand Rapids	28	-2
Green Bay	24	-4
Helena	30	-10
Huron	32	-8
Indianapolis	24	-4
Kansas City	34	-12
Marquette	28	-10
Memphis	32	-10
Milwaukee	24	-4
Minneapolis	16	-10

**HOKE SMITH ON OIL.**  
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ATLANTA (Ga.) Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Hoke Smith refused to discuss the charges made by Secretary Hitecock regarding the grant of oil privileges in the Indian Territory, when Smith was Secretary of the Interior. "If it was a scandal to make the grant when nobody knew the value of the lands," said Mr. Smith, "it is doubly a scandal now to allow half of the lands to be held by beneficiaries of the grant."

**AGE LIMIT FOR PAGES.**  
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MADISON (Wis.) Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] By a vote of 95 to 2, the report of the Committee on Rules, providing for the dismissal of the pages of the Assembly under fourteen years of age, the result of an agitation stirred up by the Social Democrats, was adopted by the Assembly this morning.

**DANGER OF FLOOD.**  
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The weather observer has issued a bulletin declaring that there is grave danger of a repetition of the great flood of two years ago. The dynamiting of obstructions in the river, with a view of preventing it, is already under way.

**FATAL EXPLOSION ON BRITISH SUBMARINE.**  
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 16.—(By Atlantic Cable.) An explosion of gasoline occurred on board the new submarine boat A-5 today while officers and crew, eleven men, were engaged in the tank. The crew were hurled in all directions. Nine of them were picked up by boats and taken to the hospital. Four are dead.

A number of the crew of the British submarine boat A-5, which was being tested, were killed today when a second explosion took place an hour after the first. The explosion was caused by a leak in the fuel tank.

The total number of men injured was fourteen. Some of them were dreadfully mangled. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

**TERrible SPECTACLE.**  
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The A-5 was a new boat and left her builders only yesterday. After extensive and solid factory trials, she was ordered to Queenstown for the purpose of familiarizing military officers with the appearance of a submarine boat. Sixty army officers were present to witness the diving experiment which led to such a tragic result. The crew were entirely volunteers.

The explosion, which was of the violence of a big gun and was heard ten miles away, shook the submarine's convoy, the Humber, from stern to stern. Dense volumes of smoke were seen immediately pouring from the only outlet of the helpless submarine.

The rescue report that it was only by superhuman efforts that they were able to force their way through the stifling fumes. They were repeatedly driven back and when they finally reached the lower part of the boat they encountered a terrible spectacle. Of the wounded and dying crew only one was able to speak coherently and he was begging to be saved.

The rescuers were forcing up the second manhole forward when the second explosion occurred, blowing one of them twenty feet upwards. He fell in the water and when they finally reached the lower part of the boat they encountered a terrible spectacle. Of the wounded and dying crew only one was able to speak coherently and he was begging to be saved.

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**BONE OF CONTENTION.**  
New York Club Man and an Actor Fight Over a Pretty Chorus Girl.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] George H. Peabody, the New York club man, nephew of F. S. Peabody, the coal merchant and club man, quarreled over a pretty chorus girl with Fletcher B. Norton, the actor, in the Wellington Hotel. Norton's eye was so badly damaged that he could not appear. Peabody, Norton and Tod Sloan, the jockey, and three chorus girls, took dinner at a downtown restaurant, and a few hours later Norton, in telling of the adventure in the company of friends, made remarks which, when they reached Peabody's ears, aroused his anger. Peabody hunted up the actor at his hotel, and the two men fought at the Wellington.

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**SACRAMENTO.**  
**FOR HARBOR COMMISSION.**  
Bill Affecting San Pedro Introduced in Assembly.  
Residents of Los Angeles for Members of Board.

**Measure to Abolish Girls at Whittier Reform School.**

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
SACRAMENTO, Feb. 16.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Assemblyman Hartman introduced a bill tonight providing for the formation of a harbor commission at San Pedro, similar to the one in existence at San Francisco Harbor. There will be three commissioners, with terms of four years each, all of whom must be residents of Los Angeles. The Governor will have power to make the appointments.  
The commissioners will have entire control of the wharves and shipping in the harbor and will have the power to appoint a harbor master, who shall be secretary of the board and receive a salary of \$125 per month.  
Bills have been prepared and will be introduced by Assemblyman McKinnley to abolish the girls' department at the Whittier Reform School. It is proposed that the girls be turned over to charitable or benevolent institutions, or individuals, and that the state pay \$12 per month for the care of each. The institution or individual will stand in the nature of a probation officer and guardian until the girls are 21 years of age. This applies both to criminals and to wayward girls.  
The bill directs trustees to make all transfers of girls in the Whittier Reform School to some benevolent institution or individual before January 1, 1917. The bill has the approval of Gov. Pardee. It is intended to use the girls' department for small boys. This will give an increase of facility without increase of expense, and will be a move in the direction of separating youthful inmates from older ones.  
The other bill applies to the Monday law whereby juveniles, etc., released Monday, only, and in groups. It is proposed in the new bill to allow juveniles their freedom days set on the calendar, and to allow only one to leave the prison at once.  
Another bill on the same line permits the sale of juvenile girls now in the open market between May and October.

**HOUSE'S VICTORY.**  
Housar, this morning, in spite of the mountain of opposition which a week ago overwhelmed his bill to admit graduates of the law department of the University of Southern California to practice without the formality of statutory examinations, succeeded in driving the measure through the Assembly on motion to reconsider. He was able to bring the deal through by enlisting the San Francisco delegation, almost to a man.

There was a big lining up of confounding forces when the debate on reconsideration came on. Rolley, Coglan—who at first opposed the measure—Prosser, and Maxwell led the opponents of the measure. Rolley was decidedly opposed to the measure, and said so whenever the Speaker would permit him to show his hand. When the smoke of the fray floated away the clerk called 31 yeas and 14 nays, and the bill will now be in the Senate for further action there. Stanton, who, by using his position as chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, has been able to ride through his little bill to legalize verbal contracts between owners of property and real estate dealers, has suddenly discovered a keen scent for the vicious bills of other members, as was seen when he was on his feet denouncing the vicious section of the charter of Pasadena, giving the people the power of recall.

This morning, Stanton gave notice that he would move to reconsider the vote whereby Senator Woodward's bill permitting banking concerns to incorporate in towns of 1000 inhabitants with capital of \$10,000, was passed. "It is the most vicious measure yet," he shouted as he took his seat.

When the bill came up for consideration in the Senate, the companion measure presented by Crowell in the Assembly received but scant consideration in the House a few days ago, and was defeated by a large majority. When Crowell moved to reconsider, this morning, however, he carried the bill by a narrow margin, and after his bill was once before the House in the shape of Senator Woodward's bill he was able to push it through, with several votes to spare.

The Woodward bill, barring the motion for reconsideration which Stanton has given notice, but which now regards seriously, is now ready to go to the Governor. The bill amends the old law by fixing a scale of capitalization for banking concerns in country towns, as follows: For a town of 1000 inhabitants, \$10,000; 2000, \$15,000; 3000, \$20,000; 4000, \$25,000; 5000, \$30,000; 6000, \$35,000; 7000, \$40,000; 8000, \$45,000; 9000, \$50,000; 10,000, \$55,000; 11,000, \$60,000; 12,000, \$65,000; 13,000, \$70,000; 14,000, \$75,000; 15,000, \$80,000; 16,000, \$85,000; 17,000, \$90,000; 18,000, \$95,000; 19,000, \$100,000; 20,000, \$105,000; 21,000, \$110,000; 22,000, \$115,000; 23,000, \$120,000; 24,000, \$125,000; 25,000, \$130,000; 26,000, \$135,000; 27,000, \$140,000; 28,000, \$145,000; 29,000, \$150,000; 30,000, \$155,000; 31,000, \$160,000; 32,000, \$165,000; 33,000, \$170,000; 34,000, \$175,000; 35,000, \$180,000; 36,000, \$185,000; 37,000, \$190,000; 38,000, \$195,000; 39,000, \$200,000; 40,000, \$205,000; 41,000, \$210,000; 42,000, \$215,000; 43,000, \$220,000; 44,000, \$225,000; 45,000, \$230,000; 46,000, \$235,000; 47,000, \$240,000; 48,000, \$245,000; 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THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Feb. 16.

U.S. Gen. R. G. Oyster of Missouri

has signed a contract with of-

ficials of the Japanese govern-

ment whereby he agrees to de-

liver in Seattle for shipment

to the Orient 100,000 horses to

be used in the army of the

emperor.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.

VICTORIA (B. C.) Feb. 16.—

The British steamship Brink-

ley, which has been lying in

Victoria, loaded with com-

modities from San Francisco

and Vladivostok, has had her

departure cancelled and sailed for

San Francisco today. The in-

formation came from the own-

ers of the ship. Last night and

yesterday have been given

to recent seizures of

steamers by Japa-

nese warships.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.

PORT HEDDERSQUARTERS,

Feb. 16. (Delayed.) A

company of Russian cavalry has appar-

ently begun activity on the

front. Details regarding the

strength and movements of the cav-

alry have not yet been obtained, yet

the belief that little is to be

done from the present attempt. On

the front of the line, it has been ab-

solutely quiet for several days.

The weather is rapidly moderating

and the snow is practically gone.

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PORT HEDDERSQUARTERS,

Feb. 16.—The following dis-

patch was received today from the

commander of the Japanese army

at Port Arthur:

"On the morning of February 14, a

company of Russian cavalry, ad-

vanced to the front of the

Japanese lines. Three miles

south of the front line, another force

of Russian cavalry was seen. The

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# Alteration Sale in Full Swing--Bargain-Friday No. 271

## Skirt Patterns OF WANTED MATERIALS \$1.89

Worth Up to \$3.50. 44 and 54-inch skirt lengths of all-wool Scotch suitings, plain chevrons, grained cloths and figured mohairs; splendid assortment of colors and styles; widths from 36 to 42 inches; regular prices 98c, 60c and 75c a yard. Bargain-Friday, choice of these skirt patterns for \$1.89.



## Waist Patterns OF POPULAR FABRICS \$1.16

Worth Up to \$2.25. 300 waist patterns of all-wool French muslins, silk striped chailles and fancy albatrosses, beautiful colors, materials from 27 to 36 inches wide; worth from 85c to 75c a yard; these patterns measure 3 yards each. Choice, Bargain-Friday, \$1.16.

## Tailor Made Suits \$5

VALUES UP TO \$13.50. Women's tailor-made suits, made from good wool cloths in plain colors and fancy mixtures; good styles; fair assortment of sizes; excellent values up to \$13.50. Not many of them, so come early. Friday, while they last, \$5.00 ea.

## \$25 Suits \$12.48

Women's tailor-made suits, chevrons, serges and mixed tweeds; properly styled coats, as well as elbow blouse jackets; some three-quarter length coats in the lot; skirts nicely cut and stylishly made; best of colors; good assortment of sizes; original prices up to \$25.00. Choice Friday \$12.48.

## \$3.48 Walking Skirts \$2.48

Walking skirts of good quality melton in black, gray and brown; some killed, others 9-gore flare, finished with lap seams and trimmed with straps; values up to \$3.48. Friday each \$2.48.

## \$2.98 Dress Skirts \$1.98

Dress skirts made of good grade ladies' cloth, 7-gore, full flare; trimmed with taffeta silk; cheap at \$2.98. Friday each \$1.98.

## \$3.98 Shirt Waists \$1.98

Women's shirt waists, made from fine vesting cloths; light and medium weight; good models; many of them prettily trimmed; plain whites, as well as medium and dark colors; all sizes; values up to \$3.98. Friday each \$1.98.

## Shirt Waists Worth Up to \$3.48 for 75c

Odd lines of women's shirt waists of lawn, oxford cloths, madras and English shirtings; plain white and pretty stripes and figures; broken assortments from our best selling lines; all sizes in the lot; values up to \$3.48. Friday, while they last, choice 75c.

## 1000 Remnants of Wanted Silks 48c Yd.

All Weaves—All Colors—Values up to \$1.25. Remnants of silks, satins, velvets and grenadines, including 75c all silk taffetas, 98c and \$1.19 all-silk black grenadines, 60c and 85c black all-silk peau de sole, 60c domestic pongees, 32 inches wide; 24-inch fancy corded waist silks, 24 and 27-inch satin Louisiane and messaline, 21-inch black corded taffeta, 24-inch colored crepe de chine, 21-inch black satin brocade; the lengths range from 1/2 yard up to 15 yards; values from 60c to \$1.25. First choosing will be best, so come early. Bargain-Friday, choice of the entire lot for 48c a yard.

## 83c Black Beau de Soie 53c Yard

1,200 yards of black beau de soie silk; 20 inches wide; deep, rich liquid black with all-silk gros grain back; guaranteed not to split, cut or break; a grade much used for suits, coats and separate skirts; regular price 83c. Bargain-Friday, any length you want for 53c a yard.

## \$1.39 Black Taffeta Silk \$1.09

36-inch black taffeta silks of swiss manufacture; soft and lustrous; much in demand for shirt-waist suits and separate skirts; also desirable for linings, ruffles and drop skirts; full yard wide; worth regularly \$1.39. Friday the yard \$1.09.

## 45c Wash Silks 25c Yard

1,000 yards of Japanese wash silks, heavy corded quality; a grade that will launder perfectly; 20 inches wide; these come in light blue, pink, white and cream; grades sold in most stores at 45c and 50c. Bargain-Friday 25c a yard.

## 20c and 25c Linings 8c

Remnants of moreen skirting, for drop skirts, ruffles and coat linings; good colors; lengths from 1 to 4 yards; worth 25c. Remnants of taffeta-finished glass cloth for linings, drop skirts and foundations; all colors as well as black; yard wide; worth 20c; good lengths. Friday the yard 8c.

36-inch mercerized sateen, all colors, including black; for skirt and waist lining; also popular for drop skirts; regular price 23c. Lengths from 2 to 6 yards. Friday, the yard 12c.

## MEN'S OVERCOATS \$3.00

GOOD VALUES TO \$7.00. Men's overcoats, full-length garments, made from fancy chevrons; popular colors and neat patterns; sizes from 35 to 40; well lined and nicely tailored; good value at \$7.00. Friday, each \$3.00.

## \$4.00 Rain Coats \$2.50

Mackintosh coats for men, cut extra long; plain black only; these answer the purpose of an overcoat as well as a rain coat; sizes 36 to 42; \$4.00 values. Friday each \$2.50.

## MEN'S SUITS \$4.39

WORTH UP TO \$12.75. Odd lines of men's suits, tweeds, chevrons, serges and fancy worsteds; broken assortments and odds and ends from our regular stock; original prices up to \$12.75; all sizes from 34 to 44 in the lot, but not all sizes of any one color or pattern. Bargain-Friday \$4.39.

## Good Cloth Vests \$1.00

Men's vests, made from good wool chevrons, tweeds and worsteds; plain colors and fancy patterns; sizes up to 42; vests worth regularly up to \$3.00. Friday each \$1.00.

## Office Coats \$3.00

Office coats for men and young men; made from good wool tweeds, chevrons and serges; some half lined, others unlined; these are odd coats from summer suits which were originally priced up to \$10.00. Good assortment of sizes. Friday each \$3.00.

## MEN'S FELT HATS 50c

ODD LINES WORTH UP TO \$2.00. Men's felt hats of various styles and colors; odds and ends from our regular stock; original prices up to \$2.00; fair assortment of sizes; choice Bargain-Friday 50c.



## \$3.00 Novelty Lace Curtains \$1.98

French novelty lace curtains, made of good quality bobbinet in Arabian shades; finished with pretty lace edge and trimmed with wide band of braid down side and across bottom; curtains 48 inches wide and 3 yards long; worth \$3.00. Friday the pair \$1.98.

## \$2.50 Lace Curtains \$1 Pair

White Nottingham lace curtains, 3 and 3 1/2 yards long; pretty floral and scroll designs; short lots, one, two and three pairs of a kind; original prices from \$1.50 to \$2.50. Not many of them, so come early. Friday while they last, the pair \$1.00.

## 50c Swiss Curtains 35c

Swiss muslin curtains 36 inches wide, with good, full ruffles; worth 50c. On sale Friday morning for one hour only, 8 to 9 o'clock, the pair 35c.



## Fancy Japanese Matting 25c Yard

NEW PATTERNS—WORTH 40c. Fancy Japanese matting with linen warp; solid red and green grounds with inserted patterns; new effects; matting actually worth 40c. Bargain-Friday, the yard 25c.

## Remnants of Matting 15c Yard

25c AND 30c GRADES. Fancy linen warp Japanese matting; yard wide; good firm selvage; pretty patterns in red, green and blue; grades worth regularly from 25c to 30c; lengths from 2 to 10 yards. Bargain-Friday, yard, 15c.

## \$1.50 Cocoa Mats 98c

Cocoa brush door mats, heavy quality; large size; the kind that's always sold at \$1.50. A trade winner for Friday only, 98c each.

## 5-Foot Smyrna Rugs \$1.25

Reversible Smyrna rugs; oriental and floral patterns; 30 inches wide and 5 feet long; fringed ends. Friday, each \$1.25.



## Women's Cloth Coats \$3.48

ORIGINAL PRICES UP TO \$7.50. Women's coats of medium length made from good shibelines and meltons in tan and black; double-breasted, tight-fitting styles; lined throughout; fair assortment of sizes; original prices up to \$7.50. Friday each \$3.48.

## \$5.98 Fur Pieces \$3.98

An assortment of fur neck pieces, mink, beaver and squirrel; boas and smaller pieces; desirable styles; values up to \$5.98. Friday, each \$3.98.

## Odd Trimmed Hats \$1.00

REGULARLY PRICED UP TO \$5.00. Trimmed hats made over frames, some of velvet, others of fancy braid; both turban and sailor styles; good trimmings; original prices up to \$5.00. Only a small lot, so hurry. Friday, while they last, each \$1.00.

## \$2.48 Trimmed Hats 25c

An assortment of ready-to-wear hats for women; felt shapes in desirable colors and popular styles trimmed with silks, velvets and ornaments; most of them are muscled; values up to \$2.48. Friday, 25c each.

Felt hat shapes, all colors; good styles; Odd bunches of flowers and foliage; values up to \$1.25. 25c each. 5c

## Other Second Floor Bargains for Friday

Infants' gowns, made of fine cambric trimmed with embroidery; 35c and 45c values. 19c  
Friday each. 19c

Infants' and children's dresses, made of fine lawn and nainsook trimmed with embroidery; sizes up to 4 years; \$2.48 and \$3.48 values. \$1.00  
Friday each. \$1.00

Women's petticoats, made of fancy plaid sateen; good colors; worth regularly 98c. 75c  
Friday each. 75c

Kimono and dressing gowns for women and misses; many different styles; 75c values. 49c  
Friday each. 49c

Women's gowns of nainsook and longcloth; trimmed with embroideries, laces and ribbons; most of them soiled; values up to \$1.98. 98c  
Friday each. 98c

Corset covers of good quality cambric; prettily made; trimmed with laces and embroideries; 25c value. Friday each 15c. 15c

## Japanese Jardinieres 74c

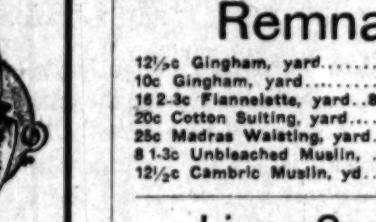
11-INCH SIZE, WORTH \$1.50. Japanese Tokonobe jardinieres, 11-inch size; regular price \$1.50. Bargain-Friday, each 74c.

## Japanese straw table mats, 19c

Japanese straw table mats, ornamental and very useful; set of 6 mats of different sizes. 19c  
Friday. 19c

## Japanese straw satchel baskets, 19c

Japanese straw satchel baskets; excellent for shopping or lunch baskets; fair size. 19c  
Bargain-Friday. 19c



## Other Basement Bargains

Mme. Pott's nickel plated sad irons; set 75c  
Friday. 75c

7-ply red rubber garden hose 1/2-inch size; the sort that's guaranteed for 2 years; 50-foot lengths complete with couplings and nozzle. Bargain-Friday. \$6.25

## Soiled Dolls 19c Each

VALUES UP TO \$1.00. A miscellaneous collection of soiled dolls; various styles, qualities and sizes; original prices up to \$1.00. The best will sell first, so come early if you're interested. Friday, in the Basement, choice 19c.

## Cream White Dress Goods 69c

Extra Value at 89c. 20 pieces of cream white fancy mohairs; silk finished; 28 to 42 inches wide; a material that will wash perfectly; very popular for street and evening wear; small checks and polka dot designs; excellent value at 89c. Bargain-Friday, the yard 69c.

## 69c Black Dress Goods 46c

44-inch black mohairs in small jacquard and lizard patterns; heavy quality; firm weaves; a grade that shakes dust easily and will not muss; bright, brilliant finish; suitable for plain and fancy skirts, waists, and suits; regular price 69c. Bargain-Friday the yard 46c.

## 1000 Remnants of Silk 48c Yd.

All Weaves—All Colors. Values up to \$1.25. Remnants of silks, satins, velvets and grenadines; including 75c all-silk taffetas, 98c and \$1.19 all-silk black grenadines, 60c and 85c black all-silk peau de sole, 60c domestic pongees 32 inches wide, 24-inch fancy corded waist silks, 24 and 27-inch satin Louisiane and messaline, 21-inch black corded taffeta, 24-inch colored crepe de chine, 21-inch black satin brocade; the lengths range from 1/2 yard up to 15 yards; values from 60c to \$1.25. First choosing will be best, so come early. Bargain-Friday, choice of the entire lot for 48c a yard.

## Remnant Bulletin

12 1/2c Gingham, yard. 8c  
10c Gingham, yard. 8c  
16 1/2c Flannelette, yard. 8 1/2c  
20c Cotton Suiting, yard. 7 1/2c  
25c Madras Waisting, yard. 10c  
8 1/2c Unbleached Muslin, 5/6c  
12 1/2c Cambric Muslin, yd. 6 1/2c

5c Cheesecloth, yard. 3 1/2c  
12 1/2c Percale, yard. 10c  
15c Striped Madras, yard. 10c  
25c Striped Waistings, yd. 10c  
12 1/2c Long Cloth, yard. 9c  
12 1/2c Nub Swiss, yard. 8 1/2c  
25c Checked Sateen, yard. 10c

## Linen Section Remnants

White cotton damask, in short lengths, worth 35c. 25c  
Friday the yard. 25c

Bleached linen table damask; good patterns; worth 90c; good lengths. Friday 75c  
the yard. 75c

White napkins, worth \$1.35 a dozen; lots of. 59c  
6 for. 59c

Good white napkins; the sort that usually sell at 85c a doz. Lots of 6 for. 30c

White cotton crash, worth 6 1/2c, in short lengths. Bargain-Friday, the yard. 5c

White linen crash, the sort that always sells for 12 1/2c. Friday, lengths of 5 yards. 50c  
for. 50c

All linen crash, worth regularly \$1.35; standard width; 5-yard lengths for. 35c  
Cream table damask; worth 60c; lengths 1 1/2 to 3 yds. Bargain-Friday, yd. 49c

## \$1.25 Comforts 98c

SILKOLINE COVERED. Good size bed comforts, covered with fancy figured silkoline; filled with one sheet of white carded cotton; hand-knotted; worth regularly \$1.25. Friday each 98c.

75c Blankets 55c Pair. Soft cotton blankets, 10-4 size; tan, gray or white with fancy borders; worth 75c; Friday the pair 55c.

53 Center Tables \$1.75. Fancy polished quartered oak center tables; 24-inch square tops and fancy turned legs; the sort that are sold in the exclusive furniture stores at \$3.00. Bargain-Friday, each \$1.75.

15c Curtain Swiss 7c. Yard



**LOCAL RAILROAD RECORD.**  
**WHEELS TURN**  
**IN NEW SHOPS.**  
*City Car Lines Move Into Bigger Quarters.*  
*Repair Plant Opens and Additions Going Up.*  
*Men are Making Scramble for Choice Runs.*

Power has been turned on and the wheels of industry are humming in the new shops of the Los Angeles Railway Company, at Fifty-fourth street and South Park avenue.

Workmen were engaged in repairing street cars yesterday in the recently-completed repair shop at that point, and the finishing touches are being put on the large paint shop adjoining it on the south.

With the completion of the large machine shop to the east of these two new shops, the company will be in a position not only to repair all its cars, but to build new ones as the service demands. The foundation of the machine shop now is being laid.

For the first time the company that handles the local street-railway traffic is occupying and using an establishment designed for its exclusive purposes.

Crowded out of the large quarters at Fifth street and Central avenue by the growing needs of the Pacific Electric Railway, the street car company has been engaged for a number of months in building new shops on the large tract at Fifty-fourth street and South Park avenue.

Large car barns first were erected at various city lines, have been moved gradually to the new location until now six of them are using the new sheds. These are the Main-street, Pico Heights, Griffith-avenue, San Pedro-street, Maple-avenue and Vermont lines. Nine other lines continue to use the barns on Central avenue, but it is expected that all lines eventually will move to the new location.

Before these latter lines can be accommodated, however, an immense addition will be required to the present car sheds, which now have twenty tracks, with room for 100 long cars. The design is to double the size of this big shed.

The big brick repair shop now in operation stands north of the main car shed, and is separated from the paint shop on the south by a huge transfer table that will be used in switching new and repaired cars to the latter building.

In the west end of the paint shop offices are being fitted up for the administrative forces of the big factory, while the upper floor of this shop will be furnished as a rest and recreation room for the army of conductors and motormen who already run their cars in and out of the new barns.

With the removal to new quarters has gone, also, the lost article department for the six lines named. In a room at the barns is a motley assortment of articles that have been left on cars by thoughtless passengers. Empty lunch baskets are in greatest number—few leave filled baskets.

Umbrellas, all sorts of packages done up in newspaper and merchants' wrapping paper are in the collection, together with a number of purses. Little money is left in cars, although one conductor not long ago found a pocket-book containing \$100. Its owner was found promptly.

Lost articles are retained for thirty days at the barns. If not claimed they are delivered to the men who find them.

**AGENTS TO MEET.**  
**SAN JOSE CONVENTION.**  
 Local traffic agents of various railroads are preparing to leave on Sunday for San Jose, where they will attend the fourth annual convention of the Pacific Coast Association of Traffic Agents, which is to be held in that city Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Business sessions of the convention will be held Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning at the San Jose Chamber of Commerce, the addresses of welcome being made by Mayor George D. Worswick and by President V. A. Scheffer of the Chamber of Commerce.

There will be excursions to various points of interest around San Jose, including Los Gatos, Palo Alto and the Lick Observatory on Mount Hamilton, and on Monday evening there will be a reception and informal dance at the St. James Hotel, followed by a banquet.

Among those who will go from Los Angeles are C. H. White, G. M. Harris and N. R. Martin of the Southern Pacific; W. H. Grand, Grand Trunk; Grove Ketchum, Piedmont Air Line; J. W. Phalon, Great Northern; Malone Joyce, Colorado Midland; F. A. Valente, Canadian Pacific; F. L. Miller, Rock Island; C. A. Hubert, Pacific Electric; M. C. Abger, Michigan Central; S. T. Butler, Union Pacific, and F. Fitzgerald, Gould lines.

**GOING AND COMING.**  
 Among the latest local recruits of the eastern railroads in their campaign for a share of the orange shipments is W. T. Hunter of San Francisco, traveling agent for the Northwestern Line in northern territory. He will remain in Southern California until the close of the shipping season. S. F. Hilton, traveling freight agent of the Union Pacific at San Francisco also is in the local field after this business.

E. S. Blair, general agent of the Great Northern at San Francisco, is in the city.

W. D. Sanborn, general agent of the Burlington at San Francisco, who has spent the last week in and around Los Angeles, returned north yesterday.

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W. R. Dowler has been appointed general agent of the freight and passenger departments of the Santa P. with headquarters at San Bernardino.

**SUIT AGAINST THE GOULDS.**  
**NEW YORK, Feb. 18.**—Argument has been heard and decision reserved by Judge Kellogg of the Supreme Court upon a demurrer interposed by Frank Gould and Helen M. Gould to the

complaint of Thomas O'Connor of Waterford, N. Y., who has sued them, the Virginia Passenger and Power Company and the Atlantic Development Company to compel the restoration of more than \$100,000,000 of the capital stock of the Virginia Passenger and Power Company and \$4,000,000 of its bonds. It is alleged by the plaintiff that control of more than \$100,000,000 of capital stock of the Virginia company and more than \$4,000,000 of its bonds was acquired for little or no consideration. Disposition of the interurban trolley road between Richmond and Petersburg also figures in the suit.

**MINNEAPOLIS HOLD-UP.**  
**Robbers Rob Doctor, Shoot His Coachman, His Dog and Then Loot His House.**  
 (BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
 MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 18.—Early today three masked highwaymen, lying in wait upon the front veranda of the residence of Dr. Philip Mueller, leveled their revolvers at the returning physician and his coachman, Emil Rogstad. They shot the latter through the abdomen and then robbed him and his coachman of \$60.

When Mrs. Mueller, attracted by the shooting, opened the door to let her husband in, a big St. Bernard bounded out of the vestibule at the robbers. The dog was killed. Mrs. Mueller was commanded by the robbers to stand, but she ran through the house to a back door and alarmed the neighborhood.

The robbers then ransacked the house, and after securing their booty jumped into the doctor's cutter and drove away. The coachman was taken to the hospital, where it is feared he will die.

**LAWSON SUPPORTS HYDE.**  
**BOSTON (Mass.), Feb. 18.**—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Thomas W. Lawson, who attacked the Equitable Life Company in his Financial Review, has made a statement supporting Hyde in the latter's fight against the Standard Oil, for control and predicts tremendous disclosures if the policy-holders get control.

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 Sunday, March 5—The Adventure of the Solitary Cyclist.  
 Sunday, March 12—The Adventure of the Priory School.  
 Sunday, March 19—The Adventure of Black Peter.

Sunday, March 26—The Adventure of Charles Augustus Milverton.  
 Sunday, April 2—The Adventure of the Six Napoleons.  
 Sunday, April 9—The Adventure of the Three Students.  
 Sunday, April 16—The Adventure of the Gold Pince-Nez.  
 Sunday, April 23—The Adventure of the Missing Three-Quarter.  
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## ON THE WATER FRONT

**PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES.**  
ARRIVED—THURSDAY, FEB. 18.  
Steamer Santa Barbara, Capt. Zaddart, from Olympia via San Francisco, arrived 10:30 a.m.  
Steamer Norwood, Capt. Martin, from Seattle, arrived 11:30 a.m.  
Steamer Marshall, Capt. Detmers, 3 days from Seattle.  
Schooner E. K. Wood, Capt. Hansen, from Bellingham.  
Sailed—THURSDAY, FEB. 18.  
Steamer Santa Barbara, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.  
Steamer Marshall, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.  
Schooner Norwood, Seattle wharf.  
Schooner Dispatch, Crescent wharf.  
Schooner Santa Rosa, Seattle wharf.  
Steamer Acme, Southwestern wharf.  
Steamer Portland, Salt Lake wharf.  
Schooner Harold Dollar, E. K. Wood wharf.  
Steamer Alcatraz, Southern Cal. wharf.  
Schooner American Express, San Francisco wharf.  
Barkentine John C. Meyer, Crescent wharf.  
Schooner Brothers, Ballast wharf.  
Schooner Cathlamet, Ballast wharf.  
Schooner American Express, San Francisco wharf.  
Schooner Ruth E. Godfrey, Southwestern wharf.  
Schooner Meier, Southwestern wharf.  
Schooner Spokane, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.  
Schooner Santa Rosa, Seattle wharf.  
Schooner Robert R. Hild, South. Pac. wharf.  
Schooner Edw. J. Smith, Seattle wharf.  
Schooner Salem, Crescent wharf.  
Schooner Alcatraz, Southern Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Robert Seares, So. Pac. wharf.  
Schooner J. J. Sherman, So. Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Carrier, Seattle wharf.  
Schooner Salvator, Southern Pacific wharf.  
Schooner Mari, Seattle wharf.  
Schooner W. F. Garmes, So. Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Ethel Jean, South. Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Edw. J. Smith, Seattle wharf.  
Schooner E. K. Wood, E. K. Wood wharf.  
Sailed—FRIDAY, FEB. 19.—Schooner Coss, Capt. Nicholson, for San Francisco and way ports.  
Schooner Acme, Capt. Reed, for Eureka via San Francisco.  
Schooner Marshall, Capt. Detmers, for Eureka via San Francisco.  
Sailed—SATURDAY, FEB. 20.—Schooner Portland, Capt. Jamison, for San Francisco.  
MONDAY, Feb. 21.—Steamer Harold Detmer, Capt. Nicholson, for San Francisco.  
Steamer Santa Barbara, Capt. Zaddart, for San Francisco.  
FRIDAY, Feb. 24.—Steamer Santa Cruz, Capt. Alberta, for San Francisco and way ports.  
DICK AND JONES, Feb. 25.  
Steamer Francis H. Leggett, from Eureka via San Francisco.  
Schooner Santa Rosa, Seattle wharf.  
Schooner Santa Rosa, Seattle wharf.  
Schooner Chicago, from Bandon.  
Steamer Newburg, from Aberdeen.  
Schooner Edw. J. Smith, Seattle wharf.  
Barkentine J. M. Griffith, from Fort Blakeley.  
Barkentine Gleason, from Seattle.  
Barkentine George C. Perkins, from Astoria.  
Schooner Edward J. Smith, Seattle wharf.  
Schooner Alex T. Brown, from Fort Blakeley.  
Schooner Mary Dodge, from Eureka.  
Schooner Manwessa from Everett.  
Schooner J. J. Sherman, So. Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Bertha Dohlsber, from Eureka.  
Schooner J. J. Sherman, So. Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Badie, from Umpqua River.  
SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.  
Steamer San Gabriel, Seattle wharf.  
Barkentine Retriever, Fort Hadlock.  
Schooner J. J. Sherman, So. Cal. wharf.  
Steamer Robert Dollar, Mukilteo.  
Barkentine Shagel, Port Gamble.  
Schooner J. J. Sherman, So. Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Mald of Orleans, Seattle.  
Schooner J. J. Sherman, So. Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Cecilia Budden, Aberdeen.  
Schooner Bertha Dohlsber, from Eureka.  
Schooner Hilibou, Fort Townsend.  
Schooner Joseph Jones, Portland.  
Schooner Mary Dodge, from Eureka.  
Schooner Oceania Vance, Aberdeen.  
Schooner J. J. Sherman, So. Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Alvina, Port Hadlock.  
Schooner Bertha Dohlsber, from Eureka.  
Schooner Fred J. Wood, Aberdeen.  
Steamer Lowell, Fort Townsend.  
Schooner Makah, Seattle wharf.  
Schooner Snow and Burgess, Everett.  
Schooner Alcatraz, Southern Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Stimson, Ballard.  
Schooner J. J. Sherman, So. Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Annie Larson, Aberdeen.  
Schooner A. F. Costa, Aberdeen.  
Schooner J. J. Sherman, So. Cal. wharf.  
Schooner James H. Bruce, South Bend.  
Schooner J. J. Sherman, So. Cal. wharf.  
Schooner Philippine, Aberdeen.  
FROM EASTERN PORTS.  
Ship Bellingham, Capt. Tamm, out 10 days from Delaware Breakwater.  
FROM FOREIGN PORTS.  
German ship, Capt. Tamm, out 20 days from Hamburg.  
The passenger steamer Cathlamet makes daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

**TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.**

	High.	Low.
Friday, Feb. 18.....	7:55 a.m. 1:25 p.m.	8:25 a.m. 2:35 p.m.
Saturday, " 19.....	8:05 a.m. 1:35 p.m.	8:35 a.m. 2:45 p.m.
Sunday, " 20.....	8:15 a.m. 1:45 p.m.	8:45 a.m. 2:55 p.m.
Monday, " 21.....	8:25 a.m. 1:55 p.m.	8:55 a.m. 3:05 p.m.
Tuesday, " 22.....	8:35 a.m. 2:05 p.m.	9:05 a.m. 3:15 p.m.
Wednesday, " 23.....	8:45 a.m. 2:15 p.m.	9:15 a.m. 3:25 p.m.
Thursday, " 24.....	8:55 a.m. 2:25 p.m.	9:25 a.m. 3:35 p.m.

**MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.**  
ARRIVED—THURSDAY, FEB. 18.  
Launch Columbia, Capt. Marzio, with 100 passengers, from San Francisco.  
Launch Bell, Capt. Ritch, from Santa Monica.  
Sailed.  
Five launches and six sailboats for fishing boats and returned with fish for local wharf sales.

**PORT ITEMS.**  
Weather: Cloudy and rain at 5 p.m., wind south, velocity 15 miles.  
The passenger and freight steamer Coss Bay, Capt. Nicholson, left for San Francisco via San Francisco, for San Pedro and way ports with a miscellaneous cargo for the Pacific Coast Steamship Company.  
The steamer Francis H. Leggett has cleared from Eureka via San Francisco with a full cargo of lumber for way ports.  
The schooner Badie left the Umpqua River yesterday with 40,000 feet of lumber consigned to the firm of J. J. Sherman, Seattle and London Company.  
The following masters of Pacific Coast vessels have been chartered by Pacific Coast Steamship Company:  
J. O. Alder, master; schooner Mandalay, J. O. Alder, master; schooner Dora, C. H. Robinson, master; steamer Central, C. O. Jans, master.  
The steamer Central, Capt. Erickson, is discharging lumber at Newport. Cargo was loaded at Gray's Harbor.  
Notice to mariners has been issued from the Third Light Station, San Francisco, stating that at the Kawaiaha Light Station, Island of Hawaii, the intensity of the beam from a port lantern to a less lantern is changed.

The steamer Santa Barbara, Capt. Zaddart, has been chartered by Pacific Coast Steamship Company with passengers and 60,000 feet of lumber consigned to the firm of J. J. Sherman and Company, Seattle and London Company.  
The schooner Norwood, Seattle wharf, and the Marshall from the Eureka arrived with full cargo of lumber for way ports.  
Schooner E. K. Wood, Capt. Hansen, has arrived from Bellingham bringing 80,000 feet of lumber consigned to the E. K. Wood wharf.  
The schooner William Renton, Capt. Hall, has arrived from Seattle with 100,000 feet of lumber for the San Pedro Lumber Company and will call at Seattle for William Renton and the Marshall from the Eureka arrived with full cargo of lumber for way ports.  
The steamer Helen P. Drew, Capt. Gundersen, cleared tonight for San Francisco with full cargo of lumber for way ports, to be changed to reload.

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## Public Advertising.

**Notice of Award of Contract.**  
 Pursuant to Statutes and to the Resolution  
 of the City Council of the City of Los Angeles, adopted February 12, 1965,  
 giving this notice, notice is hereby given  
 that the City Council, in open session,  
 on the day of February, 1965, opened,  
 and publicly declared all sealed  
 bids or offers for the following work:  
 That  
**PROSPECT PLACE**

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thence northerly to a direct line the most southerly corner of lot 11, block 21, of the city of Los Angeles, to the most westerly corner of said lot 11, block 21, of the city of Los Angeles, a point of beginning, thence to the point of beginning, a line of 100 feet of land therein contained, which is owned by said parties.

That the Street Superintendent of the City of Los Angeles is hereby directed to notify of the foregoing to the parties and to post at the place and in the manner herein provided, a notice similar in substance to be as required by law, in the Los Angeles City Clerk's office, and to have circulated in said City of Los Angeles, a notice similar in substance to which such notice shall be required by law.

The City Clerk shall certify in duplicate of this Ordinance and shall cause the same to be published once in the Los Angeles Daily Times.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was duly passed and adopted by the Board of Public Works of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting of February 1906.

H. J. LEAVELLE,  
City Clerk.

At this 17th day of February, 1906,  
OWEN M. MARRIS,  
Mayor.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the City of Los Angeles, this 17th day of February, 1906.

Seal of Award of Contract.

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# THE CITY IN BRIEF.

## NEWS AND BUSINESS.

### For Philippine Veterans.

The California Society, Army of the Philippines, will hold a special meeting tonight at 313 Grand Street.

Rev. C. J. Hall, who has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Gardenia Baptist Church, will leave for that place today to take up his work.

### Knocked by Car.

Herbert Wilson, a young laundry man of No. 611 Rialto avenue, was knocked down and seriously injured by a Pasadena car at Aliso and Vignes streets yesterday morning. He was sent to the Receiving Hospital.

### Child Run Over.

Andrew Contreras, a five-year old child, was run down and crushed by Clifford Etimer, a messenger boy on a bicycle, on North Main street yesterday. The child suffered a severe laceration across the head and was sent to the Receiving Hospital.

### Boys Near East First.

E. P. Boushfield has purchased of R. N. Van Nuy, through the agencies of W. B. Merwin and R. A. Rowan & Co., 1231 1/2 feet, on the southeast corner of Alameda and Turner streets, with two frame cottages of small value compared with the ground; consideration named, \$15,500.

### Hill-street Sale.

Mrs. Elizabeth C. Attrill has purchased of the Elden Land and Building Company, through Wright & Caldwell, 4418 feet, on the west side of Hill street, 100 feet north of Third street, with a twenty-room frame lodging-house; consideration named, \$35,000.

### Fractured Wrist.

W. W. Wood, No. 1153 Florida street, attempted to board a rapidly-moving car of the Los Angeles Railway Company at Washington and Estrella streets yesterday afternoon. He missed his hold, and was thrown violently, sustaining a fracture of the right wrist.

### Dog May Cost Arm.

While running from a dog on College street yesterday John French, a boy of 12, fell and sustained a severe fracture of the left elbow. Amputation of the arm may be necessary. French was sent to the County Hospital after his injuries had been attended by the police surgeon.

### Studying Sociology.

A party of thirty-three students of the classes of sociology of Pomona, and Occidental colleges and the University of Southern California, visited the Times building last evening, accompanied by Rev. Dana W. Bartlett, and were shown some of the workings in the production of a daily newspaper.

### Connecticut Society.

The Connecticut Society has chosen for president, Niles Pease; vice-presidents, C. B. Booth and Miss Elizabeth Maynard; recording secretary, L. U. McClure; corresponding secretary, Miss Maud Louise Latimer; treasurer, Charles F. Hurd; besides the president and recording secretary the members of the Executive Committee are D. L. Durand, C. H. J. Bliss, Dr. W. B. Beebe, E. H. Harrison and Charles Myron Latimer. The society is planning a special function for the second Tuesday in March.

### Money All There.

Selmer Magnus of the A. B. Greenwald Cigar Company yesterday picked up a purse containing \$217, which a woman dropped as she was getting off an Arcade depot car. Magnus jumped from the last evening, and the purse to its owner and started to leave, when the woman called him back, and as he waited she calmly counted out the money. "What a word of thanks she closed the purse, saying, 'Well, it's all there,' and returned her purse."

### Wonderful Say, Mrs. Wilcox.

Mrs. Ella Wheeler Wilcox writes the Times to correct the report that she does not believe in palmistry. She declares she believes in it, has studied it, and knows it to be a wonderful science, and repeats the assertion that she "never authorized a palmist, astrologer or any other adventurist to use her name in public prints to further business enterprises. One of the ilk whose names had not been mentioned, came to the Times yesterday with the claim that he had been authorized by Mrs. Wilcox to use her name."

### A Little More Grace.

Because of pressure of work in chambers, Federal Judge Welborn yesterday continued to next week the cases against Cumulative Credit Fittsimmons and two of his henchmen, indicted by the Federal Grand Jury for using the mails to dupe and defraud. Similar cases against Ollie J. Watkins were also continued to next week, when Judge Welborn is expected to render decision. He has already held, in an action brought by Fittsimmons in retaliation for being thrown out of the mails, that the Cumulative Credit Company is a lottery and fraud.

### Examined by Uncle Sam.

Seven young men, aspirants to government employment, were given Civil Service examination for six hours at the postoffice yesterday for positions as stenographers and typewriters in the Departmental and Philippine services. One of the applicants was from San Diego, one from Pasadena, and five were from Los Angeles. The positions were for pay from \$600 to \$1,000 a year at beginning. The examination was conducted by H. F. Ward of San Francisco, district secretary of the Civil Service, and F. W. Mulvey, secretary of the local Civil Service Board. March 22 a similar examination will be held in this city to select both male and female stenographers and typewriters. Information concerning it can be obtained from Secretary Mulvey, at the postoffice.

### BREVITIES.

The ladies' rest room on the top floor of the new wing of the Times' Building, is open daily from 9 to 5. Ladies from town or country will find this a convenient place to write, rest or read. Stationery provided for correspondents. Both phones available. Take elevator in business office. All are welcome.

The one and only Mammoth Shoe House, 119 South Broadway, has a special Sunday dinner \$5c.

Rehearsal for the Innes-May Festival Chorus takes place every Tuesday evening at 7:45 at Birk's Hall, 248 S. Spring street. Applications of singers will be received there.

Marshall Darrach in dramatic recital of "Hamlet" tonight, Feb. 22, at the Merchants of Venice Debating Auditorium. Tickets at Bartlett's music store.

Mrs. Addie Murphy Grigg reads Browning's "Rabbi Ben Elmelech" this morning, 10:30. Admission free.

The San Francisco office of The Times is located in room 10, Chronicle Building, Telephone Room 1234.

\$1000 worth of diamond goods for sale this month below cost. J. B. Rowe, jeweler, 217 N. Spring st.

### There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph office for L. W. C. Morgan, C. W. Baker, Harry Crane, Reeves, Broke, Ray, George J. Apple, J. P. Brown, Miss Margaret Patterson, Joe Ullman, Southern California National Bank,

# Lee Blasingame, Fulton Iron Works.

W. H. Syme, E. D. Haschemato, Ike Bauer, C. L. Elsham, Charles H. Rogers, George H. Schneider, Mrs. Julia Benson, Robert Moore, Rev. J. Gagne.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Alexander Davidson, aged 46, a native of Scotland, and Mary Davidson, aged 25, a native of Canada; both residents of Los Angeles.

Thomas V. Beckwith, aged 25, a native of Massachusetts, and Caroline C. Clary, aged 25, a native of Illinois, both residents of Los Angeles.

George M. Edwin, aged 25, a native of Scotland, and Florence E. Peck, aged 25, a native of Kansas; both residents of Long Beach.

Edward L. Blanchard, aged 25, a native of California, and Jennie L. Stacks, aged 25, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Albert A. Woods, aged 25, a native of Iowa, and Anna A. Solem, aged 24, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Frank C. Scoville, aged 24, a native of Ohio, and L. Palmer, aged 20, a native of Nebraska; both residents of Pasadena.

Robert J. Saterwhite, aged 22, a native of Georgia, and Nettie Reed, aged 20, a native of Texas; both residents of Los Angeles.

Frank A. Foster, aged 22, a native of California, and Charlotte M. Patterson, aged 24, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

## BIRTH RECORD.

POMEROY—Charles, the wife of Arthur Pomero, No. 217 S. Rialto street, a daughter.

CHURCHMAN—The wife of Julian Churchman, February 18, 1905, at the Pacific Hospital, a son.

## DEATH RECORD.

CARVER—Died, formerly of Wadsworth county, Iowa, aged 84 years and 2 months at his late home at 21 East Avenue, Los Angeles, California, on February 18, 1905, at 10:30 a. m. Cause of death, pneumonia. Burial at 2 p. m. at the Los Angeles cemetery.

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Chiffon Taffetas are shown in fine mixtures, some with underprints in coloring but extremely pretty. Then the new dress silks, of course, brown, blue, green and tan. There are also mixtures and little checks with large plaid effects. There are also in the hair-line threads of stronger colorings. Polka dots and squares in jacquard weaves; small Scotch plaids made of blue and green with just a trace of red or yellow. You can choose from the lot—if you are not tardy in coming—for a dress, a gown, a regular tailor-made, or a gown for dress-up occasions, and all for \$1.00 to \$1.25 a yard.

Chameleons and Plain Colors must not be neglected. They promise to become stronger favorites this season. Chiffon Taffetas, Chiffon Failles, Gros de Londres and other fine woven fabrics are here for those whose tastes run in the direction. Every fashionable coloring is shown in most of the new dress silks; priced from 85c to \$1.50 a yard.

There is a Crepe Tussar, a slightly crinkled silk material of beauty and lustre, that may be used for either street or evening gowns, correct weight for service, all colors, 27 in. wide and \$2.00.

There is a little heavier, firmer, coarser than the last mentioned, made expressly for shirt-waist or jacket suits, in dress, coat and wraps. Elegance and style are both shown in this new hand-made stuff. It's 27-in. wide; yard and 79c.

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## MOTHERS' AND FATHERS' JOY.

Foretaste of Heaven for the Aged Christians.

One of the Great Revival's Wonderful Days.

Dr. Ostrom Drives Tears of Great Gladness.

Sweet-faced old mother, her countenance all a-beam with the glory-light, her lip now quivering with emotion, her face now wreathed in delightful smiles, had a foretaste of heaven yesterday.

"The land where they never grow old; its joys never die and its treasures are yours," sang the evangelist, and mother's head nodded: "Yes, yes, yes."

She was only one of hundreds who yesterday afternoon in the auditorium of Immanuel Presbyterian Church and listened to the soothing and inspiring words of Dr. Henry Ostrom and to the joyful singing of John P. Hills.

It was a remarkable meeting—one of the most remarkable of the whole evangelistic campaign—and was fraught with peace and joy for the aged father and mother. It was thought the rain might interfere with this gathering of the old people of the second district, but to the surprise of everybody and in spite of the rain, between 600 and 700 old men and women assembled at the appointed time. It spoke volumes for the feeling that exists in the aged Christian for Evangelist Ostrom.

It was no funeral service—don't you think so for a minute—it was joy, joy, joy, from beginning to end.

"You do," said Ostrom, "talk to you about your troubles; they've been hard enough to bear without talking them over now," said Dr. Ostrom.

The songs in which they joined more heartily than the average audience of young people were: "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," "Where is the Breeze," "Blest be the Tie that Binds," while Mr. Hills sang "The Land Where They Never Grow Old" and "Palms of Victory, Crown of Glory."

As Mr. Hills sang the latter, mother's face was upturned to the singer; she followed him with her lips as he sang the words and her white-frilled cap kept time with "yes, yes, yes," or "no, no, no," as the sentiment touched her. She drank in the words with the face of a seraph and melted the hearts of all who observed her.

It was during the singing of this song, when all were asked to join in the chorus, that a sweet old woman in the rear of the auditorium was unable to contain herself and shouted her "hallelujahs" above the singing.

Dr. Ostrom first read and gave an inspiring exposition of the twenty-third Psalm, beginning: "The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want." He drew a picture of the lost sheep and compared his innocent weakness and inability to find its fold, with the instinct of a shepherd which enables him to find his way home; or of a man who has been lost, and the Christian to be safe because the Lord is his shepherd. Coming to "the valley of the shadow of death," he took away the sting by saying that the shadow of a dog cannot bite, nor the shadow of a serpent sting. "My cup runneth over," was an exhortation to many a man who thinks he can scarcely walk seized with a sudden desire to run.

"Home at last," he said. "Where is home? The little girl may not know the place on the geography, but she knows where grandpa lives. Wherever his father has his headquarters; the center of origin and the dwelling place of the Holy Ghost, wherever that is, I shall dwell for ever."

Every face seemed glowing with delight, and hundreds of men and women laughed as the tears of joy rolled down their furrowed cheeks. Everything was quiet, beyond the sob of the dear old soul what sat at your shoulder, but it was not a sob of sadness. It was a scene to melt the heart of the hardest man who has ever owned a mother, but they were not there to behold.

Dr. Ostrom next took a theme from the story of Simeon and Anna in the temple. "God," it seems, said "would have some special tribute paid to old age, hence old age must dwell in a temple."

"Old age is so mighty that I am almost afraid to stand in the presence of much of it. Your smile, your frown, or a word from your lips might be worth forty of my sermons."

"You may complain of your loss of activity. It is not the greatest thing to walk about; a great many people wear out unnecessary shoe leather walking about."

"You cannot see as keenly as you used to, but you can see as clearly. Billboards in California may compensate you for the failing vision."

"You may not be able to say as much as you used to say, but you can shine. I'd rather have a bright lamp on my table than one that sputters for fear it might explode. You may be a great deal better off than a lot of these young people you see sputtering around."

The smiles became noticeably broader during this portion of the discourse and Dr. Ostrom created a good deal of amusement as he likened old Christians to the stokers in the end of a ship. He said there are two kinds of stokers—the old Christians, and the preacher's wife—and that people whose name he said he did not know, at the notorious Rosebud saloon and billiard room, on East First street.

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Dr. Ostrom's Inspiring Service—Sweet Old Women Shouted Their "Hallelujahs" Above the Singing.

## OUR WIGWAGGERS BEAT THE WORLD.

WIGWAG flags of the Los Angeles Signal Corps broke the world's record for long-distance military signaling last Sunday.

Local military men say there is no record approaching the feat of Capt. Lovett's men in signaling with flags from Mt. Lowe to Brooklyn Heights.

To appreciate the significance of this military coup, it should be known that the extreme limit of flag signaling is supposed to be about ten miles; the distance between the two points named is from eighteen to twenty-five miles.

It would not have been possible but for the fact that the Signal Corps has lately been supplied by the government with powerful new telescopes.

The breaking of the record came about through a mishap. There was no intention to try to cover the distance with flags.

Early Sunday morning Capt. W. W. Lovett left the army for Mt. Lowe with nine signalmen; Sgt. Waterman followed later with nine men to establish a station in the open country near Brooklyn Heights.

After hours watching, the signal party on Brooklyn Heights saw a vivid flash spark out of the mountain, then a long shimmer of flashing sunlight; the party on Mt. Lowe was trying to open station.

This was "easy money;" twenty miles isn't much for heliograph signaling.

Communication was established and several messages were exchanged. Then a great bank of fog rolled in between the city and the distant mountain. Through it all, however, communication was maintained.

The effect was weird and uncanny. The mountain itself could not be seen. Through the velvety mass of fog cloud came these sharp, quivering flashes of light, which talked off a message in dots and dashes.

At length the fog melted away, but the sun went behind the gathering rain clouds, and the heliographs died.

Presently the man at the telescope gave a little exclamation. He said they were trying to wigwag from the mountain with flags.

One of the big white signal flags was quickly adjusted and a signalmen waved back majestically and slowly. The "W" which signified that they had seen and were ready to read.

The world's record went down with a smash. Although the records have not been carefully kept, Capt. Lovett says he believes that this feat is the highest water mark.

Communication was maintained for some time. It was a great strain on the men reading at the telescope; it was necessary to relieve them at short intervals.

Through the telescope the forms of the men could be dimly discerned on the mountain. The flag was invisible while at "ready," but could be seen when in motion. Whenever it stopped moving, it disappeared.

An effort to read the messages through powerful military binoculars was made, but the attempt failed; the flags could not be seen at all.

Even through the telescopes it was hard on the eyes of the men.

## RATS BREAK LOOSE IN BOLD BRIGANDAGE.

ONE of the Home telephones in The Times local room broke loose about 8:30 o'clock last night with a continuous roar. Out of its depths came a voice of anguish in a wail of woe:

"Times! Times!—Oh, there you are! This is Charles Egbert, Charles Q. Egbert, manager of the Buckeye Painting Company—I want the managing editor, quick! Not there? Then the city editor—hurry! Well then give me the police reporter. No, no, no! Not the society reporter, the go-o-l-l-e-e-reporter, quick! What? Then any old reporter will do—I'm in a hurry!"

It developed that Mr. Egbert had good reason for being in a hurry. He was being eaten alive by rats. He was talking from his residence, No. 201 Temple street and feared that every moment would be his last. The United States government he hastily explained, was demolishing the Downey Block, close by, to make room for the erection of the new postoffice, and the raising of that ancient edifice had dislodged 1,000,000 rats of all sizes and sexes, that had been growing fat and sassy within its weathered walls since the days when Los Angeles was a pueblo.

It was a weird tale the manager of the Buckeye Painting Company sobbed out on that telephone wire, a tale to chill the blood and make the spine to crawl. The bold rodents had overrun the neighborhood, until, at the hour of telephoning, terror reigned. The housewives of the district were in a state of hysterical collapse; the merchants and shopkeepers were on the verge of barricading their doors. Everywhere on carpetless floors sounded the horrible scurry of claws and feet. To open any outside door was to start back with a scream as from one to a dozen of the noisome brutes sprang into the house, squealing like stuck pigs and glaring like demons. To corner one of the invaders was to precipitate a horrid struggle.

The voice of the paint manager broke; there was a second's silence, then a heart-freeding shriek tore through the telephone. And all was still.

Efforts to resume the connection with Home 308 were unsuccessful. "The party does not answer," was Central's report.

It is believed that at least a portion of the remains of the Buckeye company's manager will be found when officers search the premises this morning. Captain of Police Aulsebrook said last night that he would not risk the lives of his men by sending them into that house of horrors before daylight.

THRILLING EXPERIENCES. An immediate investigation in the beleaguered neighborhood confirmed Egbert's ante-mortem message. While standing quietly in front of the dim and glassless windows of the ruined block a Times man saw dark, shapeless forms moving rapidly, noiselessly, from heap to heap of the building's debris. As nearly as could be made out at the distance, these fearsome creatures ranged in size from the bulk of a newborn puppy to the dimensions of an ordinary loghead turtle, and some of them probably weighed no less than thirty pounds. Their eyes gleamed like tiny bull-eyes lanterns among the fantastic ruins, and at intervals the noise of their scampers (audible clear across the street) was drowned in raucous squeals.

A great, vicious brute, seen distinctly in the light of a passing Santa Monica car, had whiskers fully a quarter of an inch thick and two feet long, and a tail like a loaded hose; this natural weapon he used after the manner of a crowbar to dislodge loose bricks and small timbers, in search of prey.

Isaac Silverstein, Melrose merchant at No. 235 North Main street, was interviewed. He was walking up and down his street, holding a baseball bat in his two hands. He talked briefly without pausing in his march. They are not rats, he said in his peculiar tone, "they are wild beasts. They come in by my front door while my back is not turned and carry off the goods. They are big like dogs. But I will show them!" and he brandished his club.

The cigar stand man at the Court-house Exchange Saloon, on New High street, had not seen any of the very large rodents, "none larger than a house cat," he said, but they were numerous and bold. They seemed to

move in squads, well disciplined for forage. An ordinary cobblestone would not seriously injure one of them, he thought; they were as tough as iron.

ASK NOVAKOVICH. George Siler, of the Temple cigar store, had seen the rats playing at some game he did not know the name of, on the cornice-coping of the vanishing block, in broad daylight. These acrobatic ones, he believed, would not weigh more than ten or twelve pounds apiece, but he had been astonished at the size of their claws; looking up at the coping from his place across the street, the rodents' toes seemed to have a spread of five or six inches, where they overgripped the cornice. Mr. Siler thought these moderate-sized rats belonged to a colony that had apartments in John Novakovich's restaurant, formerly one of the show places of the old block.

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## BIG SCHOOL FOR ST. JOSEPH'S. FRANCISCAN FATHERS PLAN A LARGE BUILDING.

Educational Structure to Stand on Grounds South of New Church. Not Unlikely That a Polytechnic Department Will be Established as a Part of the Institution.

Since the coming of Bishop Conaty to this see to preside over the diocese of Monterey and Los Angeles, scarcely a month has passed in which there has not been announcement made of plans for some new Catholic enterprise. Many of these run up into thousands of dollars, and all have been of much importance to the work of the church in southern California.

The very latest movement in this line comes from the Franciscan Fathers, and is the planning of a large parochial school building as a part of the work carried on by the Franciscans in St. Joseph's parish.

Rev. Raphael Fuhr, O. F. M., father superior of the Franciscan Monastery on Twelfth street, is now in San Francisco, perfecting the plans for the new edifice. It is expected to be ready in Los Angeles today or tomorrow, when the final details of the project will be completed.

The plans have been prepared by Brother Adrian, who also was the architect for the beautiful Church of St. Joseph, one of the finest Gothic church buildings in the State.

It is said the new school will be on similar lines, and that it will be a fitting companion to the church building, near which it will stand. In connection with the commodious school rooms there will be a large hall, for use at parties, banquets and public entertainments of the schools.

It is possible that with the increased facilities at their command the Franciscans may institute a polytechnic department in their educational work, as some of the brothers are fine artists, and capable of giving instructions to the youth in the skilled trades.

At present the teaching force is composed of Sisters of St. Joseph, and the school is maintained in the old frame building, formerly used as St. Joseph's Church, on Santee street. The new structure will stand on the grounds south of the new church building, and will front on Los Angeles street.

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# THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

**SUMMARY OF THE DAY.**  
Attorney Rush, representing local theater managers, yesterday submitted to the Council Finance Committee a bill for a license of \$100 per year for each theater. The Finance Committee yesterday declined to recommend to the Council the adoption of an ordinance adding fifty-five laborers to the park force.  
A special meeting will be held in the Council committee rooms this afternoon to discuss plans for the removal and destruction of garbage.  
Preparations have been begun at the Courthouse for the accommodation of the three new departments of the Superior Court. The Supervisors are negotiating for space in one of the city blocks for the offices that will have to be removed.  
The testimony in the Champion murder case closed yesterday and arguments were begun. The case will be given to the jury today.

**PUBLIC ADVERTISING—NEW TODAY.**  
(1) Deferring intention to abandon certain portion of Court street.  
(2) Intention to open and widen Forty-first street between Central avenue and Hooper avenue.  
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## AT THE CITY HALL.

### FUNDS OF CITY RUNNING LOW.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE HAS TASK KEEPING EVEN.**  
Applications for Reductions of License Tax Receive Short Shift.  
Chairman Smith Predicts "Dry Town" Crusade Will Win and Save Visions of Bankrupt Treasury.

Managers of local theaters yesterday afternoon made a final appeal to the Council Finance Committee for the reduction of the license tax on high-class playhouses.  
Attorney Rush asserted in a straight-from-the-shoulder attack that the local theater license is higher than that of any other city in the country. He backed this statement by submitting a list showing the license imposed by twenty leading cities. Los Angeles is highest of them all. The average license tax charged by the other cities is a fraction of what is levied here. He argued that the Council should be willing to reduce the local tax on first-class theaters to \$25 a month. They now pay \$15 a month.  
But the appeal, although well rendered, was on an exceedingly poor time. The City Tax Collector had just submitted a list of fifteen restaurants that have given up their liquor licenses. This means a loss of \$900 a month in revenue. Chairman Smith said that the license might be a bit high but thought that the theater managers could worry along until the end of the present fiscal year.  
The Finance Committee is the guardian of the license ordinance. The tax on a number of lines of business was first levied by the old Council. Protests are made almost every week that the rates are unjustly high. But the City Auditor has warned the committee that the old Council spent more than its share of the city's cash during the first half of the present fiscal year and that the city must make a drastic cut in expenses, secure a new and prolific source of revenue, or face a \$100,000 deficit at the opening of the next fiscal year.  
Chairman Smith has taken the stand that all petitioners for relief from objectionable license taxation must wait until after July 1.  
Yesterday Smith was feeling especially blue. One of his constituents had been telling him that the present religious revival is to be followed by a campaign for "dry town."

"I believe that campaign will win," he said to another member of the committee. "It may be all right for the benefit of the city but it will leave our finances in a wretched shape. The savings of \$100,000 a year in licenses, and the restaurant and wholesale licenses pay \$50,000 more. It is a poor time for petitioners to ask for license reductions."

**"BURNING ISSUE."**  
COMMITTEES TALK GARBAGE.  
Invitations have been extended to the Chamber of Commerce, the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association and the Municipal League to send committees to meet with the special Council committee in the Council committee rooms this afternoon to discuss garbage.

The special committee now has under consideration recommendations from the Chamber of Commerce for the inauguration of a system of municipal garbage collection. The first step towards municipal control will be securing a suitable garbage incinerator.  
Contractor Alexander, a private incinerator just south of the south-eastern city limits where he is now supposed to incinerate the city's waste.

## Hygiene Cures Sore Throat

**A Harmless Antiseptic.**  
Endorsed by the medical profession. Send ten cents to pay postage on free trial bottle. Sold by Leading Druggists. Not genuine unless label bears my signature:  
*Prof. Charles H. Hays*  
611 Prince St., N. Y.  
Write for free booklet on Rational Treatment of Disease.

followed by Will D. Gould, who spoke up to 5 o'clock and is expected to conclude early this morning. Judge Donnell will close for the prosecution.

## COURTHOUSE NOTES.

**BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.**  
**KRUEGER DIVORCE**—August J. Krueger married Rosario Higuera in 1908 and now he wishes he hadn't. Her family is an old Spanish one, but his wife is an ardent Catholic while he is a Protestant. In September, 1910, the wife deserted and took with her the little girl, Ella. A deed of separation was drawn up, the husband stating to Judge Taylor yesterday that he agreed to this as a temporary expedient, believing that his wife would return. But she didn't. Krueger stated that her church and his father-in-law had come to him with the same end in view. Hopless of converting his wife, he decided to sue for divorce. The case didn't see things in the same way and dismissed the action. Judge Taylor granted the divorce.

## CHEERFUL CONFESSION.

W. D. Peel yesterday pleaded guilty to larceny before Judge Smith, and stated that he had stolen the Columbia wheel charged against him. He said he was out of employment and took the bicycle to get where he could get a job. He said he had been a harness maker in the East. Asked what he came West for, he said he came to California, thinking it was a pretty good place to come to, and with plenty of money to make it. He found the difference between the money he had and the money he needed. Then Peel grinned more. The court was impressed with the man's story and sentenced him to six months in the county jail.

## TWO IN BANKRUPTCY.

F. F. Funder, a hater, and George C. Funder, a hater, yesterday filed in the United States District Court petition in voluntary bankruptcy, scheduling their liabilities as \$250,000 and \$100,000, respectively.

## IN POLICE COURT.

**GEHA'S CASE CONTINUED.**  
Mrs. Geha-Balish, divorced wife of Joseph Geha, failed to put in an appearance in Police Court yesterday when her ex-husband was charged with the prisoner's death to answer to a charge of assault to murder.

## BUSY SNEAK THIEVES.

Many Small Burglaries Occurring Nightly, and Several Reported to the Police.  
Sneak thievery does not seem to diminish in the least. Many cases have not been reported to the police, but even with those missing enough have been brought out recently to show that the Yeggs and hobos are still busy. Yesterday the police were informed of three jobs.

## MINES AND QUARRIES.

**Complete Report of the Census of the Industries Published by the Census Bureau.**  
The Bureau of the Census has just published its final and complete report on the recent census of the mining industries of the United States. This census was conducted in collaboration with the United States Geological Survey. It relates to the calendar year 1902 and forms a part of the general work of the Twelfth Census of the United States, being one of the special inquiries provided for in the legislation relating to that census.

## GOING TO THE JURY.

**CHAMPION CASE CLOSING.**  
Today the case of C. C. Champion, charged with murder in having killed his brother, Thomas Champion, on December 27, will probably go to the jury.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

## Interest Paid

Paid in Capital and Reserves, \$1,350,000  
Permanency is a desirable feature in an investment. The stock of this Association runs seven years, free of all taxes for that period, from all other investments. It is a safe investment to make. Yet, at the end of one year, the full amount paid in, at any time, on the basis of the following:

Ask for our statement and booklet.  
**State Mutual**  
Life Insurance Association  
107 SO. BROADWAY  
Member of California League of Mutual Building and Loan Associations.

## Alfred Benjamin & Co.'s \$16.00 \$18.00 and \$20.00 Men's Business Suits \$11

An Alfred Benjamin business suit for \$11.00 is an attractive that scarcely a man can afford to let slip. The suits are drowsy, dignified, stylish. You can get a more satisfactory suit if you paid a tailor \$25.00, at the time to lose—the lot is getting smaller every hour.

**Trousers Reduced.**  
\$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 trousers.....  
\$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00 trousers.....  
\$6.50 and \$7.00 Paragon pants.....

## Suits \$15

These suits stand head and shoulders above any tailored in Los Angeles. This is not an empty boast, but a positive fact that can be demonstrated by a moment's inspection of the suits as designed by expert tailors, and at with the nicety that appeals to all men. Materials are imported from \$25.00. Every pattern is attractive and new. Worth \$25.00. Your choice \$15.00.

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## KIDNEY'S CALL FOR HELP

Be warned today for tomorrow may be too late.  
The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They filter out the waste from the blood and excrete it. If they become diseased, the waste builds up in the blood and causes all kinds of troubles. It is better to take a little precaution now than to suffer later. Doan's Kidney Pills are the best remedy for kidney troubles. They are sold everywhere.

## DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

For Sale by all Dealers. Price 50c. Foster-McIlhenny Co., Buffalo, N.Y.

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## REPORTING PAGE.

## DEVELOPING INTO FORM.

Young Corbett's "Grind" is Rewarding Him.

Right Set for Last Day of the Current Month.

Merger Meets Casey Tonight. Human Fish.

FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—(Exclusive.)—The date of the Young Corbett fight has finally been set for the last day of this month.

He is still overweight, but once the scales commence to come off, it will take him long to reach the 130-pound mark. He is working like a man at Larkspur, Heretofore, he has been an easy time, but now he is sticking at the 140-pound mark.

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# DEVELOPING INTO FORM.

Corbett's Grind is Reaching Him.

Set for Last Day of the Current Month.

Meets Casey Tonight. Human Fish.

WIRE TO THE TIMES. FRANKFORD, Feb. 16.—(Exclusive.)—The date of the boxing fight has finally been set for the last day of the current month.

It is still uncertain, but once the date is set, it will be a long time before the fight takes place. The fight is being promoted by the manager of the boxer, who is now in the city.

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## RACES RUN IN THE SLOP.

Jockeys and Horses Covered With Thin Mud.

Lively Scramble of Sports to Pick Winners.

Four Book Favorites Do Not Land in Front.

Sloppy weather with dark, lowering clouds that poured out rain at intervals during the afternoon and a slushy track that plastered all over horses and riders was what 3000 sports had to contend with yesterday at Ascot Park, but out of gloomy surroundings it is believed that the majority of the bettors came away fairly well satisfied with their investments.

For with the exception of the second race, which went to the long shot new horse, M. A. Powell, there was strong play on all of the winners. With the exception of the first race, which was won by McDaniel's good riding, it was a bad day for the favorites picked out by the books, for none of them came.

It was certainly worth a good fee to a jockey to ride in a race yesterday, for if he didn't get away from the bumper on the first and couldn't stay in front, he looked like the Sultan of Sulu when he finished, for he was plastered with mud from head to foot and his horse looked like a study in tans and browns from the slush. It can easily be imagined that some of the best horses in several of the races didn't get to the front on account of the showers of slush that rained in their faces if they happened to get a slow start, for none of the men that played the ponies yesterday would care to run up the middle of West Fifth street if someone in front was slinging buckets of slush in their faces at every jump. This experience would be enough to make anything back up, and without doubt a number of good ones did this rather than run in a continual rain of slush mud. The faces of the jockeys were a dull brown when they rode back to dismount after each race, and in the first event the number on Dixie's saddle blanket could not be distinguished as she ran third past the finish, because it was covered with mud.

Owing to the track conditions, the sports were very much exercised about the possible winners, and there was a hot scramble before every race in the effort to get the right one. This was particularly noticeable in the third race, in which were Patsy Brown, Henry Clay Rye, Churchill, Flora Bright, Past Master and Rieffel. Patsy opened up as a 5 to 1 favorite, with Henry 10 to 1 and Past Master at 10 to 1. After the books had taken a load of money on Patsy, other delegations began to play Henry Clay, and his price was soon sliced to 4 to 1. There was some kind of wise money going on Past Master all the time, and he closed the favorite in the books, Patsy having risen to 2 to 1. Rieffel set the clear into the stretch, with Henry Clay second and Patsy third, and then in the run home Patsy managed to get a sudden lead of almost two lengths, and just lasted long enough to beat Henry Clay a head, the latter having faltered for a moment. The long shot Churchill, was third, because the others could not finish.

Four favorites went down to defeat in the fourth, in the second, Dr. Leggo in the fourth, Kehalian in the fifth and Ben Lear in the sixth. On previous terms and account of McDaniel's coming up, Escamado of the Baldwin, even prices with Robador, with Prior on, and Robador went to the post the favorite, while Escamado and Retador as the entry slipped up to 3 to 1. Two new horses were in the race, in M. A. Powell and Smithy Kane, and they ran one-two, being over six lengths in front of the outsider, Forerunner. Escamado and Retador were off last, never had a look-in through the shower of mud. Robador couldn't raise much of a gallop, and was never better than fifth in the race.

In the third, Past Master didn't get away soon enough to get a good look at the track through the mud, and finished badly beaten off in fifth place. In the fourth event, Ishlana, shot into the lead at the first turn, from Sam and Ora Viva, and Bookers never let anything get in front of him after that. A large number of the sports were unkind enough to say that Dr. Leggo did not want to win because he would pick up extra weight for a victory, if he runs in the big Derby race tomorrow, but this is a guess.

In the fifth, in a field of seven, Kehalian got away in fifth place, and was second all the way into the stretch to the new horse, Big Beach, with Giradstone third, and through the stretch McDaniel outdressed Morality, and won in a drive with Giradstone being second, about five lengths ahead of Kehalian. Ralph Reese, given as a good thing, was left at the post.

Dorice finally earned brackets by winning the last race from Ben Lear, owing to her own courage. She had the "cheese" jockey, Dillon, on her, and he helped as her about as much as an elephant would, for he wobbled through the stretch and almost fell out of the saddle. On account of a rider many of the bettors would not play Dorice, but she won the race in spite of her rider. There was considerable play on McGregor, because he is said to belong to the same interest that owns Dr. Leggo and Big Beach, but the best McGregor could do was to run just outside the money and kill off the show bet.

Dorice, the winner of the last race, was hoisted from her entered price of \$400 to \$600 by Schwacker, owner of the second horse, Ben Lear, but in the rainstorm that wound up the last race there was some misunderstanding about the retaining bid for Dorice, and she will probably go back to her original owner. This was the only run-up of the afternoon.

**TODAY'S RACES.**  
The card today is as follows:  
FIRST RACE—Handicap steeple chase, short course; four-year-olds and upward.  
327 Fies.....167  
(327) Decimo.....167  
421 Jim Roseman.....160  
421 Marylander.....160  
421 "Allegiance.....148  
318 "Suave.....130  
(421) Casador.....146  
T. A. Davis & Co. entry.  
SECOND RACE—Five furlongs, selling; Maidens three years old.  
422 Gondolus.....107  
268 Leonardo.....107  
Wm. Farrah.....107  
Gene Handlon.....107  
262 Venevia.....105  
362 Brookdale.....105  
273 Vindicta.....105  
428 Formica.....105  
174 Alma C.....105  
272 Lookaway.....102  
211 "Masacre.....100  
344 Kitty Roar.....100  
283 "Spring Leaf.....100  
153 "Hirdle P.....100

**THIRD RACE—Staucon course, purse; three-year-olds and upward.**  
429 Invader.....112  
302 Tramator.....109  
415 Confessor.....105  
415 West Brookfield.....105  
(415) George P. McNear.....105  
386 Pacifico.....105  
429 Salable.....105  
The Gadfly.....105  
429 Hilona.....100  
415 Sincerity Belle.....100  
428 Trolan.....100  
Handy Bill.....100

**FOURTH RACE—Brooks course, selling; four-year-olds and upward.**  
423 "Position.....107  
417 "Needful.....105  
423 "Cincinnati.....105  
423 "Merces.....97  
423 "Monte.....97  
423 "Irish.....97  
423 "Hirdle Stone.....112  
423 Nellie May.....107  
423 Metakatta.....110  
Ledy Lay.....110  
423 "Aunt Polly.....107  
379 "Nanon.....107  
(423) "Unifred.....105  
(423) "Dorice.....105  
424 Sweet Kitty Bellairs.....102  
423 Jerusha.....102  
423 "Merces.....97  
423 "Monte.....97  
423 "Irish.....97

**SIXTH RACE—One mile, selling; three-year-olds and upward.**  
423 Hirdle Stone.....112  
423 Nellie May.....107  
423 Metakatta.....110  
Ledy Lay.....110  
423 "Aunt Polly.....107  
379 "Nanon.....107  
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424 Sweet Kitty Bellairs.....102  
423 Jerusha.....102  
423 "Merces.....97  
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**SEVENTH RACE—One mile and sixteenth, selling; four-year-olds and upward.**  
423 Hirdle Stone.....112  
423 Nellie May.....107  
423 Metakatta.....110  
Ledy Lay.....110  
423 "Aunt Polly.....107  
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**EIGHTH RACE—One mile and eighth, free handicap; three-year-olds and upward.**  
423 Hirdle Stone.....112  
423 Nellie May.....107  
423 Metakatta.....110  
Ledy Lay.....110  
423 "Aunt Polly.....107  
379 "Nanon.....107  
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423 Jerusha.....102  
423 "Merces.....97  
423 "Monte.....97  
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**NINTH RACE—One mile and eighth, free handicap; three-year-olds and upward.**  
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423 Nellie May.....107  
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performance last night and Walsh was loudly applauded for his fine work. Whether or not he has been taking things easy the past three nights is not known, but he certainly speeded up last night and gave various exhibitions of artistic pool playing. Upton, although a fine player, had no chance to show his speed, for Walsh seemed to be indifferent when Upton played what might be called perfect safety shots and went right along and put the balls down.

Walsh made 100 balls last night to 44 for Upton and Walsh's high runs were 51 and 25, while the best that Upton could get was 19, that he started the night's play with. The play is well illustrated by the detailed score, which is as follows:

Upton—15, 4, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 7—44.  
Walsh—11, 13, 14, 14, 15, 15, 7, 5, 5—102.

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**PERSONAL.**  
Prof. W. L. Watts will return tomorrow to Mexico, to resume his geological explorations, making headquarters at Chihuahua.  
Hon. H. A. Phillips, publisher of the Journal and Republican, left for his wife and daughter, and for John Phillips of San Francisco, and for Southern California, staying at Hotel Green, Pasadena.

**DEATH ON DESERT.**  
A man is said to have been killed in Arizona.

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Hotel Guest Trained Nearly a Mile by Robber, Who Accosts Him, Rains Blows in Face and Leaves Him Unconscious in Vacant Lot Where Policeman Finds Him.

Followed nearly a mile by a man who probably knew he had money, H. Davis, who lives at Hotel Locke, Second and Hill streets, was assaulted last night, beaten into insensibility, robbed and left lying unconscious in a vacant lot, where he was found an hour later by a policeman. His injuries are serious.

Davis left the hotel at 7:30 o'clock to spend the evening with friends on South Figueroa street. On the way he noticed a roughly-dressed man a short distance behind him, but thought nothing of it at the time.

When Davis reached a dark place on Figueroa street, between Fourth and Fifth, the man overtook him, touched him on the shoulder, and said something which could not be understood. Davis turned, and as he did so the man struck him a violent blow on the head, knocking him down and dazing him. The robber rained blow after blow upon his victim, at the same time dragging him into a vacant lot.

The last Davis remembered, he was trying to shield his face from the man's fists and to get his breath, as his assailant was choking him. When the injured man recovered consciousness, a policeman was bending over him. Special Policeman E. H. Wallace found the unconscious man in the vacant lot about 9 o'clock. At first he thought he was drunk, but when he saw the bruised and bleeding face and pockets turned inside out, he knew the man had been robbed.

Upon regaining consciousness at the Police Station Davis said he had \$2 in his pockets, which the robber secured. His private papers were scattered about the place where he was found, but his watch was not taken. He was unable to give an accurate description of the robber.

The nature of the injuries indicate the use by the robber of metallic "knucks" or a "black-jack."

**DWELLINGS FIND BUYERS.**

E. Burgis has purchased of Caroline Bryant, through Althouse Bros., the seven-room frame dwelling, at No. 1204 West Pico street, with lot, 60x127 feet; consideration named, \$2500. John Crosby, Jr., conveyed to Warren F. Fisher, through A. Raymer, 72x121 feet, on the southwest corner of Figueroa and Eleventh streets, with frame cottage; consideration named, \$15,000.

Edward M. Harlan, one of the wealthiest pawnbrokers in New York, pleaded guilty to an indictment charging him with being a receiver of stolen goods. He was remanded to prison to await sentence.

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That's fashion's edict for this season. If the gown is red, you must have a pair of red suede oxfords. Or if it's green or gray or brown your shoes must match and we have shoes in these colors. If it's some other color, we'll make your shoes to match. In about three weeks time. So order early for any gown you're having made. Of course you'll want a pair to match your Easter gown.

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Women's 28-inch gloria silk umbrellas with horn, burnt ivory and silver trimmed handles. Reduced from \$1 and \$1.50 to 75c for today, ONLY.

Men's 28-inch umbrellas—gloria silk cover; steel rod; paragon frame; natural stick handles, \$1.25.

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Printed Mousseline de Soie, white grounds, with Rosebuds and other floral designs, 40c, 50c and 60c.

White French Pique in handsome embroidered designs, 75c to \$1.25.

Gauzy French Organdies, with large but daintily colored floral designs, 50c.

Silk Batiste—a plain half-silk fabric in delicate shades, 50c yard.

Embroidered French lines—all white, \$1.00 and \$1.25 a yard.

White costume linens in light and medium weights, 35c to \$1.00 a yard.

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**Kid Gloves At 75 Cents**

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**Combs at 25 Cents**

On sale today and tomorrow—back combs, tank and Empire combs, side combs—in shell, amber and white; popular shapes and sizes. The assortment is made up of short lines left from a number of the best 25c and 50c styles.

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**CHARITY BALL AT PASADENA.**  
More Than a Thousand Dollars Netted for Children's Home—New National Bank's Merely Rumors—Boose and Lays Young Men in Jail. Much Case on Trial.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, Feb. 17.—The great Pasadena Charity Ball, which was held at the Hotel Green, was yesterday evening one of the most brilliant and successful of the year. Here the new national bank's merely rumors—Boose and Lays young men in jail. Much case on trial.

The ball was held at the Hotel Green, which was transformed into a ballroom. The room was filled with guests, and the music was played by a large orchestra. The ball was a great success, and more than a thousand dollars were netted for the Children's Home.

**CONDUCTOR BOWERS ATTACKED BY PAIR OF TOUGHS.**  
Trainmen, With Aid of Passengers, Threw the Plug-Uglies Into a Ditch. Long Beach Citizens Favor Another Bond Issue for Schools—Miss Quinn Not So Dead as She Was.

LONG BEACH, Feb. 16.—Passengers on a southbound Pacific Electric car Wednesday evening witnessed a lively scrap between Conductor Bowers and two toughs who were finally, with the aid of the trainmen, thrown into a ditch near the Long Beach station.

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## Friday Drapery Surprises

Unusual Offerings in Curtains and Curtain Corners

A very little money will at times go a long way in brightening up the home furnishings. Such an opportunity is presented to you now, as these exceptionally attractive values will attest.

Sample Corners of \$10.00 Curtains at, Each 49c

This is a very fine lot of sample curtain corners, each 12 yards long, all of fine imported makes, consisting of real Brussels lace, Irish Point and Tamboured; are just the thing for short windows, transoms and front-door panels; in full length curtains would cost up to \$10.00 per pair. As a special Friday

49c

\$3.50 Lace Curtains at \$1.49—these include choice Brussels weaves of extra fine net, 3 1/2 yards long by 54 inches wide; also real Hattenburgs in both white and Arabesque, made on fine imported bobbinet; and fine novelty curtains in Scotch weaves; curtains that are worth up to \$3.50. A Worthy Friday Surprise, at, per pair. \$1.49

\$1.75 Grenadine Curtains at 98c—fine Grenadine cross-stripe curtains, 3 yards long and full width, all new choice colorings and fine weaves, and finished with tassels on ends; good value at \$1.75. A Friday Surprise not to be overlooked, at, per pair. 98c

## Hosiery and Underwear

Friday Offerings at About Wholesale Cost

No other firm in Southern California pretends to compete with the great Hamburger store in this line of goods. Our usual matchless prices are cut below duplication possibilities, for Friday.

Black Lisle Finished Hose at Per Pair 10c

A special offering of women's plain black lisle finished hose, very elastic, extra long and with extra spliced heels and toes; also double soles, in all sizes from 8 to 10; a quality that you would pay regularly 15c for. Friday Surprise, per pair. 10c

Women's Vests and Pants Worth to 50c.—High-neck, long sleeve vests in pure white or gray with ankle pants to match; also low neck sleeveless vests in white lisle with crocheted or fancy yokes, and pink or blue with lace trimmed yokes; regular 35c to 50c. On sale, at choice. 25c

Women's, Children's and Infants' Sample Underwear—this offering includes ladies' high neck, long sleeve, ankle length union suits; high neck, long sleeve, fleeced vests with ankle pants to match; low neck sleeveless vests in lisle; also children's high neck, long sleeve vests of cotton or wool, with pants to match; values up to \$1.00. On bargain table, as a Friday Surprise, at choice. 50c

# FRIDAY'S SURPRISES

## Another Sale of Men's Hats

Specially Featured for Friday and Saturday Only



Men's \$2.50 Soft and Stiff Hats at \$1.45

Last week's hat selling was the most emphatic success of any we have ever held and we have this week received another consignment of the same lines which are all new fresh spring goods and the product of the best factories in America; are in all colors and styles and absolutely can not be duplicated anywhere under \$2.50. For Friday and Saturday offered at, choice. \$1.45

# Lamburger's

25c Molasses and Peppermint Chews at 20c  
Strictly fresh. No phone orders. Limit one pound.

## Dress Goods Surprises

Popular Weaves Decidedly Underpriced for Friday

Every woman who has an eye to economy can effect a saving great enough on the purchase here Friday of a dress, waist or skirt length, to pay for all the cost of findings, trimmings and probably the dressmaker's bill as well. These items tell the story.

Wool Dress Goods Remnants at

An offering of about 800 lengths of wool materials suitable for dresses, waists and skirts, including voiles, mohairs, Henriettas, albatross, crepe Egypt, Venetian and broadcloth, storm and cheviot serge, poplin, prunella cloth, crepe de Paris, solens, landowns and fancy mixtures; there are street and evening shades, also cream and black; light, medium and heavy weights; every piece perfect and lengths range from 1 to 8 yards each; widths 42 to 46 in. sale absolutely without reserve, but for the one day, Friday only at, exactly half price.

75c Mohair, Sicilians at 50c—in every wanted shade of red, brown, gray, green, navy, also black; crisp, lustrous finish; wiry and very durable; both sides alike; sold everywhere at 75c. Friday Surprise, per yd. 59c

65c Fancy Mohair Brilliances at 50c—in shades and small woven figures in green, black and blue grounds; crisp, lustrous finish and firm; full 38 inches wide; very scarce, and greatly in demand; only 15 pieces in the lot so you must be prompt, for early buyers will quickly take them all; actual 65c value. Friday, per yard. 50c

## Spring Wash Fabrics

Special Friday Values for Advanced Season Buyers.

Our Friday Surprises this week are particularly attractive as they include fabrics which are now very much in demand by those who are planning for the spring apparel. Note the exceptional values.

25c English Voiles at, per yard

A special offering of English Voiles, 30 inches wide, in pretty spring shades, with embroidered dots and stripes; soft and clingy; and the textile so popular for women's spring regular 25c value, but offered as a Friday Surprise, at, per yard 12 1/2c

25c French Batiste at 19c—in every shade of all colors, also in black and white stripes; 29 inches wide; one of the most desirable fabrics for shirt waists of full suits; worth 25c. A Friday Surprise, at, per yard. 19c

15c Galates at 12 1/2c—a special offering of this popular satin finish textile; will wash up neatly, wear well, and launder easily; always in demand for women's suits, children's dresses and boys' waists; has never sold under 15c. A Friday Surprise, at, per yard. 12 1/2c

## One Thousand Wash Goods and Domestic Remnants

The Greatest Pickups in Wanted Merchandise Possible to Offer

In this assortment of one thousand remnants, ranging from 2 to 8 yards each, are included possibly every wash fabric and the very best of domestic cottons made. You will find them serviceable for a number of purposes, but to us as remnants we can no longer carry them in stock, so, regardless of what they have previously sold for, they are all offered as a Friday Surprise at, just. Half Price

## One Thousand Remnants of 75c, \$1 and \$1.25 Silks

Silks for Every Purpose at Less Than Cost at the Mills

This generous assortment of plain and fancy silks range in length from 1 to 15 yards each; suitable for waists, dresses, linings and drops and include plain and fancy taffetas, foulards, satins, shirt waist suit silks, plaids, pongees; also stripes, checks and over-shot effects in taffeta and louisine weaves; every piece perfect, colorings good, widths 19 to 27 inches, but all grouped for a general clearance as a Friday Surprise on bargain table at, choice, per yard. 50c

## Women's Garments for Every Day Wear

Some Exceptional Values Worthy Your Consideration

On Special Sale Friday Only

Women's \$5 and \$6 Mackintoshes at \$1.98  
This is an assortment of 200 mackintoshes made with deep military capes, and as the rainy season is not yet over, you will find one very serviceable. They are actual \$5.00 and \$6.00 values. While they last Friday at, choice, \$1.98.

\$5.00 All Wool Walking Skirts at \$2.98  
Are in fancy mixtures and checks of dark and medium colors; trimmed with straps of self material; finished with buttons; are correct in fit and finish. \$5.00 values as Friday surprise, \$2.98.

Women's \$15.00 Kersey Jackets at \$6.98  
Comfortable, stylish Kersey jackets in shades of castor, red, and blue; are either three quarter or short length; are satin lined and were previously sold at \$15.00. Offered as a Friday surprise, choice, \$6.98.

\$1.50 Flannelette Wrappers at 98c  
Serviceable house garments trimmed with ruffle and finishing braid; made with deep flounce; are in large assortment of patterns and in all sizes. Reduced from \$1.50 for Friday to, choice, 98c.

## HOUSEHOLD SURPRISES

Friday Extras—No Mail or Phone Orders

California Santa Clara Prunes, per lb. 5c

California Seeded Raisins, per pkg. 5c

Ivory Soap, the genuine well known article, 5c size, each. 3c

Mme. Pott's nickel-plated sad iron, set of three, with stand and handle; (slightly defective) worth \$1.19. 75c

Set. 75c

Tea Pots, of Royal Granite Steel Ware, Individual size, worth 25c. 19c

Each. 19c

Milk Pans, of heavy bright tin, 4 to 12 qt. sizes, some are slightly damaged; worth up to 25c. Choice. 5c

Egg Whips, made of retinned wire; the best cream and egg whips known; special, two for. 5c

Asbestos Mats, of heavy asbestos bound with tin, and with wire ring; worth 5c. Special two for. 5c

Kitchen Tables, with and without drawer; slightly damaged; worth up to 98c. \$2.00. Choice. 98c

Mop Sticks, with patent spring and stained handles; damaged, but worth 15c. Each. 7c

FOURTH FLOOR.

## Winter Shoes at Low Prices

New Styles—Comfortable and Serviceable

Children's \$1.50 Kid Shoes, at per pair

They are of good quality kid in lace or button style; have turned soles; are in pretty shapes and all sizes to fit children from 3 to 6 years. As the little tots wear out shoes quickly this bargain will be appreciated by parents for they are offered at per pair Friday 95c. 95c

Women's \$3 Fancy Slippers, per pair \$1.45

For home or party purposes slippers have been and always will be favored. This particular line is a special buy. They are in fashionable shapes; have Louis XV heels and are in all sizes. Positively worth \$3. Featured as a Friday surprise at \$1.45.

Women's \$2 Street Shoes, per pair \$1.45

Are of a good quality kid in lace style; made with extension soles; are in comfortable shapes and are in all sizes; are good enough for general uses and are specially featured Friday at, per pair, \$1.45.

Infants' 75c Kid Shoes at, per pair 55c

You can pay a larger price but not get more service or comfort out of any infant's shoe than this particular line which are good values at 75c. They are of kid in lace or button style; all sizes and specially featured at per pair 55c.

## Notions and Drugs

Special for Friday Only.

No Mail or Phone Orders

"Sanitos" Dress Shields—of good quality Nainsook; odorless and durable. 15c values at. 10c

"Marlow" Hook-on Hose Supporters—pink, blue, black and white; strong silk web; 75c values. Friday, at. 59c

"Cardinal" Crochet Cord—never sold under 5c. For Friday 3 for. 5c

Adamantine Pins—200 to paper; good points; well tempered; regular price 2 1/2c. Friday, per paper. 1c

Te Brush Braid—black only; wears well. Per yd. 5c

Sewing Machine Needles—for every well-known make of machine. 3c

10c Featherstitched Braids—newest designs. G yd. pieces, special. 8c

Basting Cotton—500 spools best quality and special for Friday seven spools for. 25c

Fine Toilet Soaps—nicely perfumed; well seasoned; popular odors. Friday, per box of 3 cakes. 12c

Imported Tooth Brushes—every one guaranteed; regular price 25c. Friday only. 15c

\$2.00 Bottle Starr's Perfumes—all all good odors. Special. \$1.00

## Friday Surprises in Rugs

Echoes from our Trade Sale of Alexander Smith & Son's Floor Coverings

The three following lines of rugs specially featured for Friday are worthy your most liberal patronage, and you will do well to anticipate your wants for months to come.

Kashmir Rugs at Low Prices

They are the newest of the rugs for general uses giving the effect of high grade orientals but were slightly soiled in transportation, so are marked one fourth or more less than actual value. The same designs and colorings on both sides:

\$9.00, 9x9 ft. Kashmir rugs reduced to \$6.75.  
\$10.50, 9x10 ft. Kashmir rugs reduced to \$7.90.  
\$12.00, 9x12 ft. Kashmir rugs reduced to \$9.00.

Axminster Rugs—36x54 inches; Alexander Smith & Son's best make; are of popular size for covering worn spots in any carpet and would be good values at 4.00, but specially priced at. \$2.95

Axminster Rugs—7 1/2x10 1/2 ft. size; Smith & Son's best make; serviceable for dining-rooms, bedrooms or reception halls and are positively worth \$18.00 but offered as the greatest bargain in the city, at choice \$10.00

25c Trimming Flowers at per bunch 10c

On Sale Friday Only—No Mail or Phone Orders

An assortment of 500 dozen flowers; all new fresh goods that will be wanted for making the popular flower hats this spring or for trimming purposes. They include geraniums, poppies, for-get-me-nots, roses, apple blossoms, foliage, and fruit; a variety of colorings and extra large bunches; regular 25c values for the one day per bunch. 10c

BARGAIN TABLE, MAIN FLOOR.

## Trimnings Will Be in Demand

Every Fashion Plate Will Tell You So

All garments will be more elaborately garnished this year than last and lace and braid will naturally predominate. Also allover yokings have attained a prestige that makes them practically standard. These Friday offerings feature exceptional values.

75c Allover Lace Yokings at, per yard, 35c

The very newest effects; dainty styles and are of Point de Paris and Valenciennes; suitable for waists or for other trimming purposes; patterns novel and conventional and the quality good. They are well worked on serviceable material. An assortment of values to 75c on sale as a Friday Surprise 35c

Allover Yoking—some embroidered on a fine sheer Cambric; others with clusters of tucks with lace insertions; still others allover tucking of fine Swiss and Mull. Every piece perfect; the workmanship the best and values to \$2.50. Choice Friday per yd. \$1.25

Braid and Band Trimming—including Oriental and Persian bands; gimp, jet and fiber braids; velvet and chiffon appliques; Cluny and Venice bands, appliques and medallions in black, white and ecru; also Oriental, Chantilly and Point de Venice laces; a variety of styles and widths in ecru, white and black. Friday, per yd. 15c

Stylish New Suit Hats \$2.95

Cannot be Duplicated Anywhere Under \$4.00

They are tailored suit hats of fancy lace or Japanese basket braid in the new turban shapes and are trimmed with soft folds of velvet, straw rosettes and ornaments. They are in all the wanted shades and popular colors and are just the thing for early spring hats. Actually worth \$4.00 but offered as a Friday surprise at. \$2.95

SECOND FLOOR.

## Odd Chinaware

Friday Only—No Phone Orders

The following merchandise are odd lots and broken lines of some very good table and household oddities much below regular values but perfect for Friday only to close out quickly.

60c white semi-porcelain covered dishes. Friday Surprise 29c.

11c white semi-porcelain oatmeal bowls. each 5c.

12c white semi-porcelain coupe plates, each 5c.

20c white semi-porcelain vegetable dishes. Friday Surprise 10c.

50c white semi-porcelain covered butter dishes. Friday Surprise 29c.

40c white semi-porcelain sugar bowls. Friday Surprise 29c.

\$1.00 decorated dessert plates at per doz 75c.

75c decorated China covered butter dishes. Friday Surprise 25c.

15c decorated coupe soup plates, Friday Surprise 10c.

25c decorated vegetable dishes, Friday Surprise 19c.

15c decorated cups and saucers, Friday Surprise 10c.

\$3.50 decorated mismatched toilet sets at \$1.98.

\$1.00 decorated chambers, Friday price 60c.

65c white toilet pitchers (damaged) day Surprise 29c.

\$3.00 decorated slop jars, Friday price \$1.49.

25c white brush vases, Friday price 19c.

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